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## The Morning Star.

### OUTLINES.

Six persons injured by a bomb explosion at Barcelona, Spain. —— Nine persons killed and a dozen injured in a trolley accident at Toronto, Canada.—— Captain and crew of the schooner Isleboro, wrecked in the storm, have arrived in New York city. —— Mrs. Maybrick contradicts reports that she intends to go on the stage or the lecture platform. —— Schooner Greenleaf Johnson is at New London, Conn., with cargo on fire. —— Four men were suffocated by gas at Dover, N. J —— One man killed and two other persons injured in an automobile accident at Los Angeles, Cal. —— Fighting near Mukden is expected to begin to-day. —— Report that Gen. Kuroki has been killed is again denied. —— The Russian foreign office declares there is no cause for alarmist reports regarding the hitch in the Anglo-Russian convention. —— Department stores in New York city have formed an alliance to prosecute shoplifters. —— In a riot caused by striking furniture movers in Chicago several persons were injured. —— At the horse show in Madison Square Garden, New York city, a man was knocked down and trampled upon by a pair of horses. —— New York markets: Money on call was steady at 2@3½ per cent.; cotton dull at 10.5c; flour steady, with a moderate inquiry; wheat—spot easy, No. 2 red $1.30; corn—spot steady, No. 2 57; oats—spot firm, mixed 34@35c, rosin firm; spirits turpentine steady.

### WEATHER REPORT.

U. S. DEP'T OF AGRICULTURE,
WEATHER BUREAU,
WILMINGTON, N. C., Nov. 17.

Meteorological data for the twenty-four hours ending at 8 P. M.:

Temperature at 8 A. M., 40; 8 P. M., 46 degrees; maximum, 58 degrees; minimum 37 degrees; mean 48 degrees.

Rainfall for the day, —; rainfall since first of the month to date, 1.33 inches.

Stage of water in the Cape Fear river at Fayetteville 17 feet.

FORECAST FOR TO-DAY.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Nov. 17.—For North Carolina: Fair Friday and Saturday; light to fresh north winds.

**Port Almanac—November 18,**

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| Sun Rises | 6.39 A. M. |
| Sun Sets | 4.51 P. M. |
| Day's Length | 10 H. 12 M. |
| High Water at Southport | 4.21 A. M. |
| High Water at Wilmington | 6.51 A. M. |

The landslide sufferers haven't asked anybody for a contribution yet.

An exchange tells about a man who has inherited more money than he knows what to do with. He should get married and learn something.

Enormous transactions in coffee have been reported the past few days on the New York Stock Exchange. During the Presidential campaign the spellbinders impressed us that it was then that brass had its day.

The American Agriculturist carefully estimates that the United States the past season have raised 2,574,000,000 bushels of corn. There is no reason now why corn whiskey should not be made from corn as it once was.

The farmers in one county of New York State marketed the past year $865,570 worth of cheese. How much cheese is made in North Carolina in a year? When a boy we witnessed cheese-making on a farm in Mecklenburg county.

A dispatch states that Charles M. Schwaub, lately president of the United States Steel Corporation, is endeavoring to organize the independent nail mills to fight the nail trust. The nail trust is no doubt in a position to come to the scratch.

Says the New York World: "The President is the dictator of his party to-day. The time for him to carry out his policies is now, before his dazed associates have begun to to recover their breath." In that case the President's "associates" will feel like ignored accomplices.

Judge Alton B. Parker, lately Democratic candidate for President, has opened a law office in New York. It is hoped that his first case will be an action to enjoin masqueraders from enunciating socialistic and paternalistic doctrines in the name of Democracy.

Says the New York Herald: "A St. Louis physician says there is no such thing as 'a new woman.' Well, the old style, to use a campaign phrase, 'is good enough for us.'" To use another campaign phrase, a landslide can be counted upon by woman on any platform that she chooses to promulgate.

Here is what the Charleston News and Courier says about North Carolina's popular governor: "Col. Fred A. Olds, the Raleigh correspondent of the Charlotte Observer, says: "One of the interesting questions is, what will be the future of Governor Aycock? Will he remain at Goldsboro and practice law there, or will he have a high place in the field of education or politics?' It does not make any difference what place Governor Aycock shall fill, he will fill it full. There is not a better or more capable or patriotic man in the South to-day. What a pity it is that he could not "stay put" in the office of Governor of the Old North State!"

## TWO LARGE DAMAGE SUITS.

**One Against Atlantic Coast Line and Another Against Western Union—The Complaints Not Yet Filed.**

Two rather interesting and important damage suits were begun yesterday in New Hanover Superior Court. They are entitled, M. M. Branch, administrator of the estate of the late William H. Branch, against the Atlantic Coast Line, and W. A. Smith against the Western Union Telegraph Company. No complaint in either suit has yet been fixed but it is understood that the amount of damages asked will be large.

The suit against the Atlantic Coast Line is brought in behalf of young conductor, William Branch, of this city, who was killed by being mashed between cars of a construction train in Florida about a year ago. It will be remembered that the body of the young conductor was brought here for burial. It will be alleged that the accident was due to the negligence of the defendant railroad. Messrs. Empie & Empie and Herbert McClammy Esq., will appear for the plaintiff.

The suit against the Western Union by Mr. W. A. Smith, an employe of the C. R., L. & P. Co., in this city, is for the non delivery or delay of a message to him informing him of the death of his daughter. Mental anguish and a delay and much inconvenience in the arrangement of the funeral in consequence of the delayed telegram, will be alleged in the complaint. Messrs. Bellamy & Bellamy appear for Mr. Smith.

## LOCAL DOTS.

—Rev. J. M. Page, of Hope Mills, will preach at Brooklyn Baptist church Sunday at 11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M.

— L'Agile Cotillon Club will give its opening german in the Masonic Temple to-night. Mr. E. S. Nash will lead.

— For the first time since Sunday, owing to the great storm North, the Western Union lines to New York were opened yesterday morning.

— The four prisoners charged at Fayetteville with the murder of Walter Maynor at a festival in 71st township, by shooting him from ambush, were discharged yesterday by Justice C. P. Overby, the evidence being insufficient.

— The family of negroes quarantined for smallpox in Cape Fear township were discharged yesterday, none of the contacts having contracted the disease from the colored man who was removed to the pest house and who is now recovering.

**Hard to Pacify.**

Eddie Long, colored, was arraigned in Justice Fowler's court yesterday on a charge of having assaulted Annie McDonald, a high-strung negress of doubtful good character, with a pair of brass knucks ten days ago. The defendant was represented by Brooke G. Empie, Esq., and firmly established an alibi, whereupon he was discharged. The McDonald woman was evidently not satisfied, and as soon as Eddie left the court she pounced upon him in the street. She was then brought before the court and herself placed on trial for an assault of which she was found guilty. In default of costs she went to jail in a tantrum, villifying Justice Fowler for his dispensation of justice.

**Baldwin-Chambers.**

Yesterday's Baltimore Sun has the following in its society column: "Miss Marie Baldwin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Baldwin, and Dr. William H. Chambers, surgeon of the United States army, were married yesterday morning at 11:30 o'clock at the home of the bride's parents, 1123 Park avenue. Rev. William M. Dame performed the ceremony. Dr. and Mrs. Chambers left later for the Philippines, where Dr. Chambers has been recently assigned to duty."

**At Academy Tuesday Night.**

Mr. W. Powell Hale, the noted impersonator, will be the third number in the popular course of Lyceum attractions being offered by Messrs. Cowan Bros. this season at the Academy of Music. Mr. Hale comes next Tuesday night and the sale of seats for subscribers will open at Plummer's Saturday morning. Mr. Hale's repertoire is said to be very fine. He has some excellent press notices and will be greeted here by a large audience.

**Show Traffic on Cars.**

The street cars of the city handled 9,997 passengers on show day Tuesday against about 14,000 on the day that Robinson's circus was here last month. The distance from the car terminal to the show grounds at Hilton this week is largely responsible for the falling off in receipts as a great many preferred taking wagonettes or carriages to walking the distance from the bridge.

**E. F. Young Acquitted.**

Fayetteville Observer: "E. F. Young, who has been on trial this week at Harnett Superior Court, charged with the embezzlement of funds of the defunct bank of Dunn, was found not guilty by the jury."

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

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Buy—A lot of comfort.

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Dixie Cafe—Hot coffee.
Wanted—Lady or gentleman.

## SAILOR DISAPPEARS.

**Master of Norwegian Steamer Kingswood Can't Account for Absence of Seaman.**

**SHIPPING NEWS YESTERDAY.**

**Damage to New York Steamer's Freight. Standard Oil Barge Here—Big Tramp Anglo Saxon Back Again—The Daleby for Bremen.**

Capt. O. Olsen, master of the Norwegian steamer Kingswood, now discharging cargo at the Almont fertiliser factory, up the river, is distressed at the mysterious disappearance from his ship of one of his most efficient seamen, Robert Langenback, a German, whom he thinks has been dealt with foully. In another column Capt. Olsen advertises for information as to the man's whereabouts, which will be thankfully received either by the master or his agents here, Messrs. Heide & Co. Langenback left the steamer about 7 o'clock on last Saturday night, having been given shore leave by the mate to come to Wilmington to purchase some goods. The captain gave him $5, and after he left nothing more was seen of him. The Saturday night before when the ship was discharging at Navassa, Langenback came to the city and bought a lot of clothing all of which was left aboard with considerable wages due him. The man, therefore, had no occasion to desert the vessel. He was well treated, quiet and sober; aged about 22 or 23 years; had round face and ruddy complexion. Capt. Olsen has made every inquiry for the man without result.

**Big Steamer in Port.**

The big British tramp steamer Anglo-Saxon, 3,671 tons, Capt. Perry, arrived yesterday from Baltimore with the British steamr Mokta, Capt. Cooper, from New York, both for cargoes of cotton from Messrs. Alexander Sprunt & Son. Until last year the Anglo-Saxon had the record of carrying the largest cargo of cotton ever shipped from the port, consisting of something over 17,000 bales. The Oceanic last season broke the record by a few bales.

**Damage to Clyde Liner.**

Mr. H. G. Smallbones, superintendent of the Clyde Steamship Co., in this city, says that five or ten per cent. will cover the damage by the storm to the steamer "Carib," which arrived Wednesday afternoon. The Georgetown freight on the steamer is said to have been damaged much more heavily on account of its location in the ship's hold. The steamer sailed for Georgetown at 5 o'clock yesterday morning.

**Other Port Paragraphs.**

Spirits turpentine was firm at 50c on the local market yesterday; rosin firm at $3.50 per barrel, both items being advanced over the previous day's prices.

British steamer Daleby cleared yesterday for Bremen with a cargo of 12,250 bales of cotton, valued at $647,000 and consigned by Messrs. Alexander Sprunt & Son.

The tug Astral, Capt. McGoldrick, arrived yesterday from Charleston towing Standard Oil Barge No. 92, with a cargo of oil for the branch depot at Wilmington. She cleared last night with the barge, returning North and will sail this morning.

The river steamer Hawes arrived yesterday afternoon, having been delayed on account of towing an extra flat with cotton. She will clear for the return to Fayetteville to-day as soon as she can receive her freight from the Clyde Liner Carib.

Yesterday afternoon's Fayetteville Observer says: "The Tar Heel cleared for Wilmington at 9:30 this morning, and the Hurt got off at 12:30 this afternoon. Both boats were at Elizabethtown yesterday during the execution of Sellers and Brown, which was witnessed by several members of each of the crews.

**Funeral of Mrs. Wilson.**

In the presence of a large number of friends and sorrowing relatives, Rev. George B. Webster conducted impressive funeral services over the remains of the late Mrs. Annie F. Wilson at the home of her daughter, Mrs. I. F. Huggins, No. 501 Swann street, at 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon. A large number of floral tributes were laid on the grave in beautiful Oakdale cemetery where the good woman was laid to rest. The pall bearers were Messrs. W. H. Scarboro, J. E. Wilkinson, Chatham Sykes, Z. E. Murrell, Jas. A. Gurganus and Perry Woodcock.

**Senator Empie, If You Please.**

Messrs. G. Herbert Smith and L. M. Todd, chairmen of the Boards of Election of New Hanover and Brunswick counties, respectively, met yesterday at the Court House and officially declared Brooke G. Empie, Esq., of Wilmington, duly elected Senator from the Eleventh Senatorial District. They issued him a certificate declaring his election. The total vote received by Mr. Empie in the two counties was 2,488.

**Dr. Langdon Here.**

Dr. Walter Langdon, a native of this city and a resident here until just after the Civil War, is in the city, the guest of his niece, Mrs. Thos. D Meares. Dr. Langdon went to California in the '60s, and made a fortune in the practice of medicine, retiring a few years ago and leaving his large practice to his son, who will also visit Wilmington in a short time with his bride.

## CAUGHT IN A JOB PRESS.

**Little Son of Mr. J. C. McCartney Severely Injured Yesterday Morning—Resting Easier Last Night.**

Arthur McCartney, 14 years of age, a son of Mr. J. C. McCartney, the well known plumber, was painfully injured yesterday morning about 9 o'clock in the job press room of the MORNING STAR. While playing about one of the presses being fed by Mr. Lewis Jones, the boy stooped down to pick up a piece of paper and in doing so the sleeve of his right arm caught in one of the cog wheels and he was drawn into the machinery. Young McCartney cried out as soon as he was caught and Mr. Jones, with remarkable presence of mind and quick movement, threw the belt off the press and stopped it in remarkably short order, else the consequences would have been far more severe. As it was, the boy's arm was badly wrenched and his shoulder bruised, the flesh being torn in several places.

Young McCartney, who is an exceptionally bright boy, was employed to run errands about the office and was a favorite in the shop. He had been in the job room only a few minutes when the accident occurred. He was wound up in the press in such a manner that it was impossible to extricate him without further injuring him, unless the press was taken apart. Two machinists were quickly summoned and although they worked like beavers and broke several pieces of the machinery to expedite matters, it was over two hours before the boy was taken out. In the meantime Dr. T. M. Green had arrived and he gave the little fellow all the attention possible. Young McCartney showed remarkable endurance while being taken out of the machinery and everybody sympathetically admired the manliness which he exhibited.

As soon as possible he was sent to his home on Sixth, between Ann and Nunn streets, where he was resting very well last night. Dr. S. E. Koonce, the family physician, is attending him.

## THEY MUSTN'T GET DRUNK.

**Mayor Prescribes Sound Morals for Employes of Municipality—The Docket.**

The Mayor was in lenient mood yesterday, but had only four plain drunks for his consideration—all white. Three of them were let off with the costs and the fourth was about to share the same good fortune, when the Mayor fired the usual interrogatory: "Where do you work?"

The penitent soul at the bar replied: "For the city."

"All the worse for you," retorted the Mayor with an air of impatience not unmixed with surprise.

"In what department, pray?" further inquired the chief executive.

"I work on the streets," meekly submitted the defendant.

"City employes musn't get drunk," enjoined the Mayor; "they should have better sense. I'll give you $5 fine and costs and consider the continuance of your name on the city pay roll with the Streets and Wharves Committee." And the defendant sat down.

## W. L. I. PRODUCTION LAST NIGHT.

**Another Triumphant Success for Favorite Wilmington Thespians at Academy.**

The comedy production by the Wilmington Light Infantry Dramatic Club, under the auspices of Cape Fear Chapter, Daughters of the Confederacy, for the benefit of the George Davis Monument Fund, scored another big success, socially and financially, at the Academy of Music last night. The play had lost none of its charm by repetition and the players were seen at their best. There was a "go" about the action of the piece, a snap in the lines that excelled, if anything, the original production.

The orchestra rendered between acts a fine programme of well rendered music, a solo by Prof. William Hall having been a feature. The audience was large and one of the most fashionable of the season. All the boxes were filled.

## THE NEW BEACH HOTEL.

**Side Track Being Built to the Site—Hundred Car Loads of Lumber.**

The Consolidated Company is putting down a side track on the beach to the site of the new hotel which Mr. W. J. Moore, of Charlotte, will build at Wrightsville. Mr. Moore has contracted with the company to handle 100 car loads of lumber, a part of which will be delivered next week. Work will then proceed rapidly on the building of the new property. As before stated, the hotel will be situated on the north end of the beach and will be ready for occupancy June 1st.

**Booths for Quarantine Guards.**

Contractor James H. Burriss is engaged in building for the city two portable booths for smallpox quarantine guards during the Winter. It will be remembered that last season the guards at quarantines in different parts of the city suffered much from the cold and it was next to impossible to get competent men for the quarantine guard service owing to the exposure that they would necessarily have to undergo. The booths now being built are nearly air tight, with half glass sides and glass doors, making it possible to see in every direction. The booths may be easily moved and will be heated by oil stoves.

## EVENTS AT Y. M. C. A.

**"Congress of Nations" by Ladies' Auxiliary Will Be Upon a Magnificent Scale.**

**THE NEW YEAR RECEPTION.**

**Membership Teams Will Receive Public To-night Week—Basket Ball Game This Evening — Meetings for Men—Other Notes.**

The Y. M. C. A. Winter season is just now at its heigth and a great work is being done among the young men of the city. Two big events are on the calendar for the near future, both of a social nature, and each to be a delightful success. Reference is made to the "Congress of Nations" to be given by the Ladies' Auxiliary for Association benefit, the first two days in December and the annual New Year's reception and gymnasium exhibits, preparations for both of which are already well under way.

The "Congress of Nations" is in general charge of Mrs. E. L. Prince, and all of the entire Y. M. C. A. floor space will be required for its consummation. It will be upon a magnificent scale and the ladies may be sure of a proper appreciation upon the part of the public. Nine artistically constructed booths, representing as many nations, will be constructed in the gymnasium, and will be in charge of the following ladies: The Irish booth, Miss Hazel Love; the German booth, Mrs. J. H. Dreher; Holland, Mrs. L. A. Blue and committee; Switzerland, Mrs. C. T. Harper; Greece, Mrs. Darby; Mrs. J. F. Garrell will preside over Mexico, and Mrs. M. H. P. Clark over Japan. Miss Lucy Chadbourn will superintend the sale of the Ladies' Home Journal and Mrs. Darby will sell the Woman's Home Companion at special booths. These ladies request that those whose subscriptions expire about this time will kindly send in their renewals through them during the carnival.

The booths will be characteristic of the several countries they represent and on the opening night the ladies will assemble in "Congress," costumed in the characteristic habit of the land they represent. The bazaar will open on Thursday, December 1st, and be conducted for two days. It will be open at 10 o'clock in the morning and remain open until 10 at night. It is intended to make this a great social feature as well as a bazaar. Music will be furnished at stated times of the day and other features which will please and amuse.

**Other Association Notes.**

The New Year's reception will be one of the most elaborate in the history of the Association. The gymnasium exhibit will be complete as Mr. Dushan already has the teams in training.

The membership contest is waxing more heated each day. Last night the score stood: Japs, 74; Russians, 48. Next Friday night the two teams will give a public reception to add interest to the contest. There will be a game of basket ball, gymnasium exercises, including some trapeze work by Prof. Kleese, music and refreshments.

The speaker at the men's meeting Sunday afternoon will be Rev. C. W. Kegley, pastor of St. Matthew's English Lutheran church. There will be special music. On the following Sunday Rev. J. A. B. Scherer, the distinguished president of Newberry College, will speak. Rev. Mr. Scherer is pleasantly remembered from last season and a large crowd will no doubt hear him. Hollowbush's Orchestra will contribute to the musical features.

The basket ball game in the league series to-night between teams captained by Messrs. Schulken and McGeachy promises to be most interesting. Dr. C. T. Harper will umpire and the teams will line up as follows: Schulken's—Forwards, Schulken and King; centre, Bryan; guards, Hancock and Hunter. McGeachy—Forwards, Little and O'Keef; centre, George Crow; guards, Smith and McGeachy.

**Wilmington Savings and Trust.**

The Board of Directors of the Wilmington Savings and Trust Company met yesterday and declared an extra dividend of eight per cent., payable to all stockholders of record date, on and after November 20th. The extra dividend is for the purpose of allowing stockholders to meet the tax upon their stock. The extra dividend declared yesterday, makes 14 per cent. since the first of the year. The bank is one of the most flourishing in the State. It was learned yesterday that 625 was bid for the stock.

**Two Sentenced in Duplin.**

Judge Fred Moore has fixed January 13th as the date for tee legal execution of Dan Teachey, who was convicted of the murder of Robert Rivenbark in Duplin Superior Court this week. George Daniels, convicted last week of the murder of Will Maxwell in the same county, is also sentenced to die on the 13th, but in each case an appeal to the Supreme Court will probably serve as a stay of execution.

**Married Last Night.**

In the presence of a number of friends last night, at the home of Mr. L. O. Ellis, No. 115 Castle street, Miss Julia Capps and Mr. Corbett Hugh McGee were married by the Rev. A. McCullen, of Fifth Street M. E. church. Mr. and Mrs. McGee will make their home in Wilmington where they have a number of friends.

## PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

— Among last night's arrivals was A. W. McLean, Esq., of Lumberton.

— Mrs. B. M. Chiswell and Mrs. Hinckley left last evening for Baltimore to join Lieutenants Chiswell and Hinckley, of the official staff of the Revenue Cutter "Seminole."

— Charlotte Observer: "Miss Caro Brevard will entertain a few friends informally this evening at her home on South Tryon street, complimentary to her visitor, Miss Bridgers, of Wilmington."

— Among the visitors in the city is Mr. W. K. Anders, of Ivanhoe. He came down to the show Tuesday and remained over for a land survey on Greenville Sound. He will return home to-day.

— Mr. Thos. P. Bagley has returned from Littleton, N. C., where he was one of the groomsmen at the marriage of his cousin, Miss Kate Bagley, daughter of Prof. L. W. Bagley, of Littleton, to Rev. Mr. Lumpkins, of Scotland Neck. Mr. Bagley also attended the reception to the bride and groom in Scotland Neck on Tuesday evening.

— A personal item which appeared in this column Wednesday morning caused no end of embarassment for Sergeant Major A. W. Childress, a popular officer of Fort Caswell, when he returned to the post the following day. In the hurry of transcribing "personals" from The Orton register it was set down that "Sergeant Majo A. W. Childress and wife were registered at The Orton, etc." The fact is there is no Mrs. Childress and the error was made in this office which is much regretted and is here cheerfully corrected.

## DR. PEYTON H. HOGE'S RESIGNATION.

**Differences in His Congregations Bring About Severance of Relations.**

The following special telegram sent out from Louisville, Ky., will be read with interest in this city where Dr. Hoge was formerly pastor of the First Presbyterian church.

LOUISVILLE, KY., Nov. 16.—Rev. Peyton H. Hoge, formerly pastor of the First Presbyterian church of Wilmington, N. C., now pastor of the Warren Memorial Presbyterian church, of this city, has resigned, and has asked the church to join with him in the request for the dissolution of the pastoral relations.

The reason given by Dr. Hoge for his action, is that a statement of the financial condition of the church, made by the deacons, showed that economy in the expenditures was imperative. Dr. Hoge also states that hearty co-operation has not been shown during the time that he has been in charge of the church.

A meeting of the congregation is to be held Sunday morning, at which time the question of acceptance or rejection of Dr. Hoge's resignation will be finally decided.

Mr. W. R. Belknap, the well-known wholesale hardware man, who is one of the deacons in Dr. Hoge's church, made a statement to-day. He says Dr. Hoge thought the financial condition of the church, which made it necessary to economize, showed that the congregation was not entirely with him, and to avoid giving them any embarrassment, he handed in his resignation.

Mr. Donald Macpherson, one of the elders of the church, said to-day:

"Dr. Hoge is somewhat dissatisfied with his congregation on account of certain things, but I had rather not say what these are. We knew nothing of his resignation until three days ago. It was a surprise to us. The question is not yet settled. The vote will be taken on it and then we will know more about it."

## WILL GIVE ANOTHER CONCERT.

**Wilmington Piano Club Arranging for Delightful Recital in Near Future.**

The Piano Club has again arranged a select programme for rendition in the near future, perhaps during next week. The Club has been so unfortunate in selecting a time when suitable weather prevailed that a definite date has not been fully decided upon.

The Club is anxious for the music-loving public to get interested in the idea of restoring this beautiful talent to its rightful standing. It is a talent eagerly sought to improve by almost every household, but the accomplishment in later years is shamefully neglected through fashion. In the furthering of this advance move of the Piano Club one can see a revived sweetness for the home. Through patronage and encouragement the effect should be far-reaching.

The Piano Club is growing and has come to stay. At its last meeting several new members were admitted and it was decided to purchase a piano. The Elks, in their usual good spirit, tendered the use of their parlors to the club. Until a larger hall is necessary concerts will be given in the parlors from time to time, the proceeds of which will be divided between the Elks' charity fund and the Piano Club's fund. These entertainments deserve a large attendance. The price of admission is only twenty five cents.

## BEHRENDS-RILEY FURNITURE CO.

**Incorporated at Raleigh Yesterday—Governor's Thanksgiving Proclamation.**

[*Special Star Telegram.*]

RALEIGH, N. C., Nov. 17.—A charter is issued for the Behrends-Riley Furniture Co., of Wilmington; capital $5,000; incorporators J. T. Riley, H. M. Behrends and C. C. Riley. It will do a general furniture business.

Governor Aycock issues a proclamation for the observance of Thursday, Nov. 24th, as Thanksgiving Day and urges all people to "pause and make acknowledgement of the source from whence comes all their blessings and renew their strength for the accomplishment of better things."

What's the use to buy ready-made clothes when you can get the same goods in fine custom tailored garments at the same money? Hundreds of well satisfied customers will tell you how it's done at I. Shrier's, northeast corner of Front and Princess streets. "At the sign of the Golden Arm." That's the place. †

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## TRANSFERS OF REAL ESTATE.

**Property Which Exchanged Hands by Deeds Filed for Record Yesterday.**

Anderson Stroud and wife to Diana Williams for $35, property on north side of Dawson, 66 feet east of Eleventh street, 33x100 feet in size.

Thomas J. Vann and wife to Abraham Bishop, for $300, sixty acres of land in Harnett township, north of lands of W. A. Riach and others.

W. E. Koonce and wife to Virginius Hall, for $1,650, property on east of Fifth, 70 feet south of Church street, 66x71 feet in size.

Abraham Bishop and wife to Thomas A. Smith, for $250, property in Harnett township described above.

Thos. D. Meares, Jr., commissioner, to Alfred W. Millinor and wife, for $50, property on south side of Meares, 133 feet east of Front street, 50x104 feet in size.

## THE "STRENUOSITY OF TEDDY."

**Hickey to Star Charles Dickson With Modern Fantastic Comedy.**

John M. Hickey has just signed a contract to star Charles Dickson for five years, commencing in December, with a new idea of a fantastic comedy, now being written by John Fowler, and which will be called "The Strenuosity of Teddy." It is quite a departure from the orthodox methods heretofore used by play-writers and it promises to have a great deal in it that will attract and please.

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**Dr. Thomas in New York.**

An Associated Press dispatch from New York last night says: "Modern methods of surgery as applied on the great railroads of the country were considered and discussed to-day at the annual meeting of the New York and New England Association of Railroad Surgeons. Among the papers read was one by Dr. G. G. Thomas, chief surgeon of the Atlantic Coast Line, on 'Relief and Hospital Department.'"

**To City Subscribers.**

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NOTICE.

Robert Langenback, German, left the steamship Kingswood laying at the Almand Factory on Saturday night last, and has not been heard of since. Height about 5 feet 2 inches, stout and well dressed. His clothes and belongings are left on the ship, therefore I do not think he intended to leave.

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FRIDAY MORNING, NOVEMBER 18.


## BRYAN AND WATSON.

Col. William Jennings Bryan, previous to the Presidential election and in anticipation of Judge Parker's defeat, issued a platform upon which he proposes to reorganize for the 1908 campaign. Besides many of the issues which he has heretofore advocated, the principal new one which he springs, or rather adopts from the Populists, is government ownership of railroads. In addition to his proposed platform, Col. Bryan issued a pronunciamento after the election, re-stating his proposition for reorganization.

A few days ago the Hon. Tom Watson, of Georgia, the Populist leader, issued what we shall call a pronunciamento, just to have something to call it. He claims that the Democratic party has outlived its usefullness and that he must reorganize a party with Jeffersonian principles, of which he assumes to be the only true prophet. He declares confidence in his ability to get up a party that will knock the planks from under the G. O. P. elephant.

As it is entirely too early to discuss policies for a campaign yet four years off, and as grave issues, now unforeseen, may arise between now and 1908, we attach no importance to any reorganization plan or new party proposition at this time. However, as Col. Bryan and Mr. Watson persist in rushing into the glimmering limelight now and will do an agitating stunt henceforth, it is well to see how these two statesmen's views are regarded by an element of the opposition to the Republican party. Here is how the New York Times, Independent, disposes of both Bryan and Watson:

"Considerable as are the resources of the English language, they would fail even if drawn upon with a prodigal pen to convey a just idea of the aversion of Eastern Democrats to the political programmes of Mr. Bryan, Mr. Watson and other volunteer leaders and reorganizers of the party. Will it suffice, therefore, to say that the pratings and proclamations of these gentlemen do not interest the Democracy of the States of the North and East?

"Mr. Bryan produces again his shop worn ideas of the campaigns which buried him and his party in disaster, only to be taunted by Mr. Watson with inconsistency. You accepted the St. Louis platform, says the Georgian, you are bound by it for four years. You insisted that the platform of Kansas City was a law unto all the Democrats of the Nation. You must now conform to your own ruling. This is Mr. Watson's neat and ingenious method of getting Mr. Bryan out of his own path. Mr. Watson has more brains and more sincerity than Bryan, but he will not be rid of the Nebraskan so easily. No consideration of mere consistency will keep Bryan quiet. On the other hand, it appears that consideration of the plainest common sense will fail to keep Watson quiet. He affirms that the Democratic leaders in the South are false leaders, because they make their bargains with the plutocrats of Wall street and leave the plain people of the South to shift for themselves. Are they not, in fact, shifting for themselves with a high degree of worldly success? Does Mr. Watson know any Southern Democrat who, with cotton at its present price and with the crop at this year's figures, are sitting by the roadside bemoaning their fate and lamenting the bounteous Bryan years of 1896 and 1900? Mr. Watson is personally, so his friends say, a most agreeable man. But politically he is described with great propriety by a correspondent of the Times, who pronounces him a "scarecrow."

"Its no time for scarecrows. Some owlish students of our politics are pointing with hosts of fright at the Debs Socialst vote of some 600,000, and are wondering with some premonitory shivers what it will be four years hence. Nobody who has looked far enough beneath the surface to discover from what source the votes came that gave Mr. Roosevelt his vast majorities is disturbed over Debs or the Socialists. That great body of votes is not to be won by the Socialists, not even if they put up a man immeasurably saner than Debs. Nor will they be won back to the Democracy by such leaders as Bryan or Watson, or by any other standard bearer who insists upon policies which must make the Democracy always a losing party.

"Mr. Weidenmann, whose Democracy is in every respect sound, appeals to Judge Parker to assume the functions and exercise the authority of leadership in the Democratic party. The place belongs to the Judge if he wants it. Undoubtedly it would be a good thing for the Democracy. Mr. Tilden, in the dismal years of Tweed domination in New York, kept his chairmanship of the State committee. He said that he was "holding wearily the end of a rope, because I did not know where it would go if I dropped it." He had taken the State organization through that period of debauchery and degradation. Judge Parker might now perform a similar service. His tenure of the place would keep the symbols and the seal and the flag of the party out of the hands of the scarecrows, now eagerly reaching for them."


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## SENATOR SPOONER TO WALK THE PLANK.

Governor LaFollette, who headed the faction of the Republican party in Wisconsin opposed to Senator Spooner and the faction headed by him and his colleague in the Senate, has it in his power to drop the heads of both senators into the basket. Governor LaFollette whipped out the Spooner faction in the election, and it is stated that the Governor is bent on taking the two United States senatorships over for two men belonging to his faction. Of course he will, or else what has he been fighting for?

Senator Spooner knows that he has to go, and now there is a rumor that he may be offered the portfolio of Attorney General in President Roosevelt's cabinet. Senator Spooner is a man of a high order of ability and is one of the most able, keen and bitter debaters in the United States Senate, and no doubt the Democratic gladiators will be glad to see LaFollette shelve him. However, the LaFollette faction has fought Senator Spooner because he is backed by the corporations, and if that is true it would seem that he is not the proper man for Attorney General. But we forget that Attorney General Knox was a corporation attorney before he went into the cabinet, and the charge is made that the corporations took him out of President Roosevelt's cabinet and placed him in the United States Senate as successor of the late Senator M. S. Quay, of Pennsylvania.

The announcement will be received everywhere in the South with sincere sorrow that former Governor Hugh S. Thompson, of South Carolina, is dying of asthma and general debility at his home in New York city. He is a man of conspicuous ability and under President Cleveland's administration served as Assistant Secretary of the Treasury and as Civil Service Commissioner.

## CURRENT COMMENT.

—"Governor-elect Douglas, of Massachusetts, at a single step came up from obscurity." Great Scott! He was the best known person, except Lydia Pinkham, in the United States.—Norfolk Public Ledger.

—The Republican National Committee is said to have a surplus of $400,000 in its campaign fund. It can afford, then, to reimburse the Philippine government for cable tolls on those campaign documents. Washington Post.

— The first significant after-election Federal appointment by President Roosevelt will be the selection of the postmaster for New York. It will be worth while to observe whether Platt, Depew, Odell or the popular welfare will get the greater consideration when the new appointee shall be named.—Philadelphia Record.

— Uncle Sam smiles on the Jap as a borrower, and will discount his paper with pleasure. The little brown Oriental's credit is good everywhere, even in Moscow, where the capitalists have quite a snug lot of Japanese securities stored away, rated as gilt edged even in the financial schedules of those who are at war with them.—New York Tribune.

— The Kentucky legislature at its last session very wisely passed an act prohibiting co-racial education in the state. Berea College, which is attended by both white and black, has been indicted under that statute. The college has employed most eminent counsel and will test the constitutionality of the act. For the good of the blacks as well as the whites it is earnestly hoped that the final decision will be for the state.—Norfolk Virginian Pilot.

— Political life in Canada does not end after the election any sooner than here. Thus the Toronto Mail and Empire speaks of the defeat of the Conservative leader: "Mr. Borden, hated by the plundering coteries because he is fearless in his battle against public wrong, became the shining mark for the exploiters of the treasury." Still the party represented by Mr. Borden wanted to impose the policy of high protection upon the country—and Canada wouldn't have it.—Buffalo Courier.


## A TRIAL FREE.

Hardin's Palace Pharmacy Druggists, at 126 South Front street, made a liberal free offer. Mr. Hardin having thoroughly satisfied himself as to the merits of Paracamph, First Aid to the Injured, states that all you need to do is to deposit 25c. with Hardin's Palace Pharmacy and get a bottle of Paracamph. Use as directed. If you are not satisfied return the bottle and get your money back. Paracamph cures Burns, Scalds, Cuts, Wounds, Bruises, Sore Feet, Sore Toes, Sore Hands, Sore Face. Paracamph heals Ulcers, Sores and Swellings. Paracamph gives ease to tired hands and weary and blistered feet. Paracamph cures Pains, Pimples and Skin Troubles. Big nasty blotches go away when you use Paracamph. Money back if you are not satisfied. Paracamph cures Neuralgia and Rheumatic Swellings. Cures bleeding and itching piles. Paracamph stops itching. You get relief at once. Paracamph is good in cases of swellings and inflammations and absolutely prevents dangerous blood poison. Don't hesitate. Don't argue. Get a bottle of paracamph to day. Keep it in the house. Yes, a household necessity is Paracamph. You need it just when you don't expect. You can always get your money back if you are dissatisfied. Dou you suffer from a cold in the head, pain in the chest, ringing in the ears? Use Paracamph. Remember you can deposit 25c. with Mr. Hardin, at 126 South Front street, and get a bottle of Paracamph. Get it to-day.

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The best known guide to married happiness is to hold the husband as you won the lover—by cheerfulness of disposition, patience and keeping your youthful looks. Of course a great many women are handicapped by those ills to which women are heir. The constantly recurring troubles which afflict her are apt to cause a sour disposition, nervousness and a beclouded mind.

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## TWINKLINGS

— Maisy—Have you and Tom quarrelled? Daisy—I should say not. My birthday is next week.—St. Paul Pioneer Press.

—"I think even she herself is beginning to realize now how fat she's getting." "Yes?" "Yes; she asked me to-day how to pronounce 'embonpoint.'"—Philadelphia Press.

— Ted—It's easier to speak to a man than to a woman. Ned—I guess you've never been in love with a girl and tried to screw up courage to ask her father's consent.—Town Topics.

— Percy—Molly, for your sake I'd shed the last drop of my blood! Molly—Yes, all younug men say that. But somehow they seem very careful never to shed the first drop.—New Yorker.

— Tom—"Old Biffkins caught me in the act of kissing his daughter last night." Jack—"Serves you right. You ought to go slow about such things." Tom—"I did. That's why I got caught."—Chicago News.

— Customer—So you sell these watches at $5 each? It must cost that to make them. Jeweller—It does. Customer—Then how do you make any money? Jeweler—Repairing them.—New York Weekly.

—First Boy: It's six o'clock. Let's go home. Second Boy: No; if we go home now we'll get licked for stayin' out so late. If we stay till 8 o'clock we'll git hugged an' kissed fer not bein' drowned.—Tits Bits.

— The good man was comforting the stricken widow. "Don't grieve, sister," said he. "Think how much better off he is." And the good man wondered why she refused to be longer comforted by him.—Browning's Magazine.

— Optomist—Yes, there's a place for every one in this world! Pessimist—I can't see any use in a lot of old cranks! Optimist—Why, the world is only a big piece of machinery, and it couldn't revolve without them.—Detroit Press Press.

— "They have discovered snow on the moon," some one said to Brother Dickey. "Yes, suh," he replied, "en de fust thing ye knows they'll be tellin' some er dese wicked sinners dat satan's drivin' a ice wagon. —Atlanta Constitution.

## MARINE DIRECTORY.

**List of Vessels in the Port of Wilmington, N. C., November 18.**

**STEAMERS.**

Mokis, (Br) 1,549 tons, Cooper, Alexander Sprunt & Son.

Anglo Saxon, (Br) 2,671 tons, Perry, Alexander Sprunt & Son.

Trignac, (Fr) 1,333 tons, Dolu, Heide & Co.

Fernfield, (Br) 2,025 tons, Lavies, Alexander Sprunt & Son.

Kingswood, (Nor) 1,209 tons, Olsen, Heide & Co.

**SCHOONERS.**

Jno D Paige, 375 tons, Bennett, C D Maffitt.

Chas A Witler, 161 tons, Brownwell, C D Maffitt.

Millie R Bohanan, 579 tons, Lawrence, C D Maffitt.

Alice J Orabtree, 325 tons, Perkins, C D Maffitt.

**BARQUES.**

Musselcrag, (Br) 1,871 tons, Robinson, Heide & Co.


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**Football Game, Richmond, Va., Thanksgiving Day, Nov. 24, 1904.**

On account of the above occasion the Atlantic Coast Line will sell tickets from Wilmington, N. C., to Richmond, Va., and return for $8.05. Tickets on sale Nov. 23rd, good on trains arriving in Richmond before noon of Nov. 24th. Good returning to destination on or before Nov. 26th, 1904. For full information call on ticket agent, or W. J. Craig, G. P. A., H. M. Emerson, Traffic Manager, Wilmington, N. C. Persons desiring Pullman reservations can obtain same by calling up phone 160.

**Only $17.85 to Montgomery and Return, Seaboard Air Line Railway.**

On account of Inter-State Sugar Cane Growers' Association, January 23rd 27th, the Seaboard Air Line will sell round trip tickets to Montgomery, Ala., for $17.85. Tickets on sale January 23rd and 24 h, limited January 30th, 1905.

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## COMMERCIAL.

### WILMINGTON MARKET

(Quoted officially at the closing by the Chamber of Commerce.)

STAR OFFICE, November 17.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE—Market firm at 50c per gallon.

ROSIN—Market firm at $2.50 per barrel for good strained.

TAR—Market firm at $1.60 per barrel of 280 pounds.

CRUDE TURPENTINE—Market firm at $2.30 per barrel for bard, $3.80 for dip, $3.80 for virgin.

Quotations same day last year—Spirits turpentine firm at 56c; rosin firm at $2.00; tar firm at $1.80; crude turpentine firm at $2.25@3.80.

RECEIPTS.

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| Spirits turpentine | 32 |
| Rosin | 251 |
| Tar | 37 |
| Crude turpentine | 50 |

Receipts same day last year—15 casks spirits turpentine, 114 barrels rosin, 80 barrels tar, 101 barrels crude turpentine.

COTTON.

Market firm at 9¼c per pound for middling.

Same day last year, market firm at 10.82½c for middling.

Receipts—2,972 bales; same day last year, 2,748.

(Corrected Regularly by Wilmington Produce Commission Merchants, prices representing those paid for produce consigned to Commission Merchants.)

COUNTRY PRODUCE.

PEANUTS—North Carolina (new crop, firm. Prime, 80c; extra prime, 85c; fancy, 90c, per bushel of twenty-eight pounds. Virginia—Prime, 65c; extra prime, 70c; fancy, 75c. Spanish, 70@75c.

CORN—Firm; 60@65c per bushel for white.

N. C. BACON—Steady; hams 14@15c per pound; shoulders, 11c; sides, 11c.

EGGS—Dull at 20c per dozen.

CHICKENS—Firm. Grown, 30@35c; springs, 15@25c.

TURKEYS—Firm. Live, 12½c; dressed, 15@16c.

BEESWAX—Firm at 25@27c.

TALLOW—Firm at 5½@6½c per pound.

SWEET POTATOES—Firm at 50@60c per bushel.

BEEF CATTLE—Dull at 2@3c per pound.

### FINANCIAL MARKETS.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, Nov. 17.—Money on call steady at 2@2½ per ct.; closing bid 2¼ per cent.; offered at 2½ per cent.; time loans quoted firm; sixty days 3¾@4 per cent.; ninety days 3¾@4 per ct.; six months 3½@4 per ct. Prime mercantile paper 4@4½ per cent. Sterling exchange strong, with actual business in bankers' bills 486 80@486.85 for demand and 484.05@484.10 for sixty day bills. The posted rates were 485 and 487¼. Commercial bills 483¾@483¾. Bar silver 56¼. Mexican dollars 46¼. U. S. refunding 2's, 104½; do. coupon, 104½; U. S. coupon, 104½; U. S. 3's, registered, 104½; U. S. 4's, new, registered, 130½; U. S. 4's, new, coupon, 130½; U. S. 4's, old, registered, 106¼; do. coupon, 106¼; Atlantic Coast Line 4's, 99¼; Louisville & Nashville, unified 4's, 103¾; Norfolk & Western consol 4's —; Seaboard Air Line 4's 85; Southern Railway 5's, 118¾. Stocks: Baltimore & Ohio pref'd 94; Chesapeake & Ohio 50; Manhattan L 168¾; New York Central 136; Reading 75¾; do. 1st pref'd, 87¼; do. 2nd pref'd 79¾; Southern Railway 35¾; do. pref'd 95¾; Amalgamated Copper 80¾; People's Gas 109; Tennessee Coal and Iron 76¼; U. S. Leather 14¾; U. S. Leather preferred, 95; Western Union 93; U. S. Steel 27¾; do. preferred 87¾; Mexican Central 21½; Virginia Carolina Chemical, 42¾; sales 3,200 shares; do. preferred, closed 113; sales 200 shares. Standard Oil 639.

NEW YORK, Nov. 17.—Seaboard Air Line, common, 19¼@19½; do. preferred, 39¼ bid; do. bonds, fours, —. Atlantic Coast Line, common, 151@152; do. preferred —.

### NAVAL STORES MARKETS.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, Nov. 17.—Rosin firm. Spirits turpentine steady.

CHARLESTON, Nov. 17.—Spirits turpentine—nothing doing. Rosin—nothing doing.

SAVANNAH, Nov. 17.—Spirits turpentine was firm at 50c; receipts 933 casks; sales 580 casks; exports 200 casks. Rosin was firm; receipts 3,425 barrels; sales 1,819 bbls; exports 3 041 bbls. A, B, C, $2 55; D, $2 60; E, $2 62½; F, $3 67½; G, $3 72½; H, $3 80; I, $3 80; K, $3 80; M, $4 25; N, $4 50; W G, $4 75; W W, $5 00.

### COTTON MARKETS.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star

NEW YORK, Nov. 17.—The cotton market opened easy at a decline of 4@5 points in response to lower cables than expected and reports of freer offerings of spot cotton from the South. The private wires were working better today and brought selling orders. Liverpool seemed to be selling here and spot houses sold quite freely, said to represent hedges against purchases of spots. After increasing the decline to a matter of eight to ten points on the active months, local shorts covering checked the downward tendency and there was a slight recovery, but a reaction of only three to four points from the bottom attracted fresh selling orders from Southern sources and during the afternoon the list ruled weak. A large house had a big selling order in January and March; it was reported that straddles between the local market and New Orleans were being reversed and as prices worked downward stop loss orders were uncovered. Recent liberal sellers started to buy around 9.73 for January and in the late trading there was an active demand. This helped to retard the decline but did not absolutely check it and the market was finally steady in tone but at the lowest, or a net decline of thirteen to sixteen points. Sales were estimated at 275,000 bales. Talk of an easier spot situation seemed the main factor in the decline.

NEW YORK, Nov. 17.—Cotton—The market was dull at 10.05c; net receipts 439 bales; gross receipts — bales; stock 84,338 bales.

Spot cotton closed dull at 10 points decline; middling uplands 10.05; middling gulf 10 30c; sales — bales.

Futures market closed steady: November 9 54, December 9.61, January 9.71, February 9 77, March 9.83, April 9.96, May 9.95, June 9.95, July 10.01.

Total to-day, at all seaports—Net receipts 55,780 bales; exports to Great Britain 1,268 bales; exports to France — bales; exports to the Continent 31,866 bales; exports to Japan — bales; exports to Mexico — bales; stock 947,336 bales.

Consolidated, at all seaports—Net receipts 318,452 bales; exports to Great Britain 131,472 bales; exports to France 36,044 bales; exports to Continent 110,733 bales; exports to Japan — bales; exports to Mexico — bales.

Total since September 1st, at all seaports—Net receipts 3,785,980 bales; exports to Great Britain 1,379,265 bales; exports to France 301,871 bales; exports to the Continent 933,103 bales; exports to Japan 21,141 bales; exports to Mexico 8,401 bales.

Nov. 17.—Galveston, easy at 9 11 16c, net receipts 17,310 bales; Norfolk, nominal, net receipts 2,573 bales; Baltimore, nominal at 10.12, net receipts — bales; Boston, dull at 10.15, net receipts 247 bales; Wilmington, firm at 9¼c, net receipts 2,972 bales; Philadelphia, quiet at 10.30, net receipts 97 bales; Savannah, easy at 9¼c, net receipts 8,862 bales; New Orleans, quiet at 9⅝c, net receipts 25,358 bales; Mobile, easy at 9¼c, net receipts 1,813 bales; Memphis, quiet at 9 3-16c, net receipts 5,340 bales; Augusta, steady at 9 11-16, net receipts 2,919 bales; Charleston, quiet at 9 7-16c, net receipts 1,109 bales.

### PRODUCE MARKETS.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, Nov. 17.—Flour was steady with a moderate inquiry. Rye flour firm. Wheat—Spot easy; No. 2 red $1 30. Severe pressure was brought to bear on wheat to-day and prices collapsed, forcing heavy liquidation by Wednesday's buyers. Options closed at 1@1¾c net decline. Sales included: May closed $1 13½; July closed $1 02¾; December closed $1 17¾. Corn—Spot steady; No. 2 57c f. o. b. afloat. Option market opened steady but soon turned weak on the wheat break closing ½@¾c net lower: May closed 51¾; December closed 53¾c. Oats—Spot market firm; mixed, 26@33 pounds, 34½@35½c. Rice quiet. Pork steady. Lard quiet; Western steam $7 50; November closed $7 50, nominal; refined steady. Sugar—Raw strong; fair refining 4½; centrifugal, 96 test, 4¾; molasses sugar 3¾c; refined strong. Butter quiet; creamery, common to extra 15@25; held, common to extra 16@23c. Cheese firm; State, full cream, small colored a d white choice, October 10¾c. Eggs steady; State, Pennsylvania, and nearby selected white, extra 35@38; Southern 25@28. Potatoes firm; Long Island, in bulk, per 180 lbs, $1 75@2 00; State and Western $1 40@1 60; Jersey sweets $1 50@3 00. Cabbages firm; per barrel crate 50@75c. Freights to Liverpool—Cotton, 10@15c. Peanuts quiet; fancy handpicked 5@5¼c; other domestic grades 3@5c. Molasses firm. Tallow firm: city ($2 per package) 4¾c; country (package free) 4½@4¾c. Cotton seed oil was fairly active, but offerings were liberal and the market barely steady. Quoted: Prime crude, f. o. b. mills, 20c; prime summer yellow 27@27½c; off summer yellow nominal; prime white and winter yellow 31@32.

CHICAGO, Nov. 17.—General liquidation resulting from a warning cash demand caused weakness in wheat here to-day. At the close wheat December was down ½. May was off 1½. Corn shows a loss of ¼. Oats and provisions are about unchanged.

CHICAGO, Nov. 17.—Cash prices: Flour easy. Wheat—No. 2 spring $1 00@1 13; No. 3 spring $1 08@1 11; No. 2 red $1 14½@1 16. Corn—No. 2 54c; No. 2 yellow 58c. Oats—No. 2 31¾@33¾c; No. 2 white, 33c; No. 3 white 31@32c. Rye—No. 2 79½c. Mess pork, per bbl., $11 10@11 15. Lard, per 100 lbs, $6 97½@7 00. Short rib sides, loose, $6 87½@7 12½. Dry salted shoulders, boxed, no market report. Short clear sides, boxed, $6 87½@7 00. Whiskey—Basis of high wines, $1 24.

The leading futures ranged as follows—opening, highest, lowest and closing: Wheat—No. 2 December $1 12½@1 12⅝, 1 12¾, 1 10¾, 1 10¾@1 10⅞; May $1 12⅝@1 12¾, 1 13⅜, 1 10⅞@1 11, 1 11; July 98⅛@99, 99, 97⅜, 97½c. Corn—December 51¾@51¾, 51⅞, 50⅜, 50⅛@50½c; May 43¼@46⅛, 46⅝, 45⅝, 45⅞@46c; July 46¼, 46¼@46⅜, 45⅝@45⅞, 45⅞c. Oats—November 29¾c; December 29, 29@29¼, 28¾@28⅝c; May 31¼@31⅝, 31⅞@31⅝, 31¼@31½c; July 31⅜, 31⅝@31⅝, 31⅛, 31⅜. Mess pork, per bbl—Jan'y $13 77½, 13 77½, 13 62½, 13 65; May $13 77½, 13 82½, 13 70, 13 70. Lard, per 100 lbs—January $7 10, 7 10, 7 05, 7 05; May $7 57½, 7 57½, 7 52½, 7 52½. Short ribs, per 100 lbs—January $6 57½, 6 57½, 6 52½, 6 52½; May $6 70, 6 70, 6 65, 6 65.

### NEW YORK COFFEE FUTURES.

NEW YORK, Nov. 17.—Coffee—Spot Rio quiet; No. 7 invoice 8 7-16c; mild steady; Cordova 10@13c. The market for coffee futures opened steady at unchanged prices to an advance of 5 points. The final tone was steady at a net decline of 5@10 points. Sales 68,250 bags.

### FOREIGN MARKETS.

By Cable to the Morning Star.

LIVERPOOL, Nov. 17.—Cotton: Spot, good business done; prices four points lower; American middling fair 5.73d; good middling 5.50d; middling 5.40d; low middling 5.28d; good ordinary 5.14d; ordinary 4.98d. The sales of the day were 7,000 bales, of which 500 bales were for speculation and export and included 6,300 bales American. Receipts 19,000 bales, including 18,800 bales American.

Futures opened easier and closed steady; American middling (g o c): November 5.31d; November and December 5.28d; December and January 5.28d; January and February 5.30d; February and March 5.33d; March and April 5.33d; April and May 5.35d; May and June 5.36d; June and July 5.37d; July and August 5.37d.

### MARINE.

**ARRIVED.**

British steamer Mokis, 1,549 tons, Cooper, New York, Alexander Sprunt & Son.

British steamer Anglo Saxon, 2,671 tons, Perry, Baltimore, Alexander Sprunt & Son.

Tug Astral, McGoldrick, towing Standard Oil barge No 92, Charleston, Standard Oil Co.

**CLEARED.**

British steamer Daleby, Ramsey, Bremen, Alexander Sprunt & Son.

Clyde steamer Carib, Chichester, Georgetown, S C, H G Smallbones.

Tug Astral, McGoldrick, towing Standard Oil barge No 92, Philadelphia, Standard Oil Co.

**EXPORTS.**

**FOREIGN.**

BREMEN—British steamer Daleby, 12,350 bales cotton, 6,161,412 pounds, valued at $647,000; cargo and vessel by Alexander Sprunt & Son.


**Doesn't Respect Old Age.**

It's shameful when youth fails to show proper respect for old age, but just the contrary in the case of Dr. King's New Life Pills. They cut off maladies no matter how severe and irrespective of old age. Dyspepsia, Jaundice, Fever and Constipation all yield to this perfect pill. Only 25c, at R. R. BELLAMY'S drug store.

**COUGHS**

**EARLY CROP**

Fall coughing has begun. White Pine and Tar Syrup is beginning to sell. People think as much of it as ever. It certainly is a good remedy for coughs, colds, hoarseness and ordinary throat troubles. Price 25 cents at

HARDIN'S

Palace Pharmacy,

126 South Front St.

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## COMFORTING WORDS.

**Many a Wilmington Household Will Find Them So.**

To have the pains and aches of a bad back removed; to be entirely free from annoying, dangerous urinary disorders is enough to make any kidney sufferer grateful. To tell how this great change can be brought about will prove comforting words to hundreds of Wilmington readers.

R. A. Biddle, clerk at 19 Market street, residing at 606 Castle street, says: "I used Doan's Kidney Pills myself for kidney trouble and my wife who also suffered from backache also used them. I never knew anything to act so quickly. I have suffered quite a long time with my back and kidneys. The kidney secretions were very dark and full of sediment. My wife also complained of her back, and when we read of Doan's Kidney Pills in our newspapers I went to R. R. Bellamy's drug store and got a box. We used them with the best of results. In my case the kidney secretions cleared up and the pains left my back. We have neither of us complained since taking Doan's Kidney Pills, and it is with pleasure that I recommend them at every opportunity."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no substitute.


### BY RIVER AND RAIL.

**Receipts of Naval Stores and Cotton Yesterday.**

C. C. Railroad—185 bales cotton, 4 casks spirits turpentine, 26 barrels rosin, 6 barrels tar, 16 barrels crude turpentine.

W. & W. Railroad—603 bales cotton.

W. C. & A. Railroad—1,361 bales cotton, 7 casks spirits turpentine, 1 barrel rosin, 16 barrels tar, 34 barrels crude turpentine.

A. & Y. Railroad—497 bales cotton, 5 casks spirits turpentine, 60 barrels rosin, 8 barrels tar.

Steamer Compton—326 bales cotton.

Steamer Whitlock—5 casks spirits turpentine, 89 barrels rosin.

Schooner Missouri—7 casks spirits turpentine, 47 barrels rosin, 7 barrels tar.

Schooner Addie May—4 casks spirits turpentine, 28 barrels rosin.

Total—3,973 bales cotton, 82 casks spirits turpentine, 251 barrels rosin, 37 barrels tar, 50 barrels crude turpentine.


# IT LEADS

OTHERS FOLLOW.

WHAT?

GOLDEN GIRDLE

**Cinger Ale.**

**H. L. Vollers**

SOLE AGENT.

A. C. L. Crossing.

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# WINTER'S APPROACH

A day of sunshine now and then, but these frosty mornings admonish us that sable Winter is almost here. That suggests the comforts and satisfaction of one of our modern heaters. We have them this year of every shape and kind—just the one to suit. Or, perhaps, it's a cooking stove or range. We have those too. And the point we are making for them all is that they furnish an even maximum of heat with the greatest economy of fuel.

We are yours just now for stoves and ranges, but all the time for hardware and agricultural implements. Let us serve you.

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Importers and Dealers in all kinds of Hardware. Orton Building.

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**CELERY.**

OF COURSE.

**Carpenter Grocery,**

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# WE ARE STILL

At 313 North Front street and our Phone is still 150.

YOU SOMETIMES NEED DRUGS

**BULLUCK & COWAN,**

Druggists.

"We want your business."

313 North Front St.

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# Black Clothes.

Did you ever hear of a black sheep that faded?

We never did.

That's why we have so much confidence in our Black Suits.

If the quality is right, there's no more generally useful Suit than a black one.

Good for business—good for any occasion.

Plenty of style and quality about our Black Suits.

Single or Double Breasted Cheviot and Worsted Suits,

**$7.50 to $20.00**

Cutaway or Prince Albert Suits.

**$15.00 to $20.00.**

**The A. David Co.,**

**Clothiers, Hatters and Haberdashers.**

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Over 200,000 in stock, different sizes and grades.

**BRICK! BRICK! BRICK! BRICK!**

Over 1,000,000 in stock and best quality.

Besides Sidewalk Paving Brick and Fire Brick.

**CEMENT, CEMENT, CEMENT, CEMENT,**

Domestic and Imported. Car load lots a specialty.

Lime, Plaster, Hair, Pipe, Roofing Paper, &c,

**ROGER MOORE'S SONS & CO.,**

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# Woonsocket Snag-Proof

**RUBBER BOOT, HIP AND KNEE. Every Pair Guaranteed.**

**Big lot just received. Get our price before buying. Will not be undersold.**

**GEO. R. FRENCH & SONS,**

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**School Shoes.**

Just received a thousand pairs of our celebrated Godman School Shoes. Sizes 8½ to 11, $1. Sizes 11½ to 2, $1.25.

These are all solid leather, heavy or light soles, made with low school heels that the children like so well.

Sold Only at

**SOLOMON'S SHOE STORE.**

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# Trade Mark

**Style, Quality and Price.**

If you want good goods at a fair price see my line of Fancy Clocks Silverware, Cut Glass, Fancy China, Lamps, Dinner Sets, Toilet Sets, etc.

**F. A. BISSINGER,**

oct 28 tf 119 Market Street.

# Fox River Butter.

Twenty 30-pound tubs of Fox River Butter. Also 1,500 kegs steel cut and wire Nails, 203 barrels Mullets, 20,000 bags Salt.

We are headquarters. Get our prices before purchasing.

**D. L. GORE CO.,**

Wholesale Grocers and Importers,

oct 26 tf Wilmington, N. C.


## REPORT

OF THE CONDITION OF THE ATLANTIC National Bank, at Wilmington, N. C., at the close of business, November 10th, 1904.

RESOURCES.

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| Loans and discounts | | $ 916,388 66 |
| Overdrafts, secured and unsecured | | 400 45 |
| U. S. Bonds to secure circulation | | 125,000 00 |
| U. S. Bonds to secure U. S. deposits | | 104,800 00 |
| Bonds, securities, etc | | 39,850 50 |
| Banking house, furniture, and fixtures | | 30,000 00 |
| Other real estate owned | | 10 000 00 |
| Due from National Banks (not reserve agents) | | 135,338 07 |
| Due from State Banks and Bankers | | 130,069 68 |
| Due from approved reserve agents | | 71,537 95 |
| Notes of other National Banks | | 9 460 00 |
| Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents | | 684 69 |
| Lawful Money Reserve in Bank, viz: | | |
| Specie | $33,356 00 | |
| Legal tender notes | 39,694 00 | 73 050 00 |
| Redemption fund with U. S Treasurer (5 per cent of circulation) | | 5,941 50 |
| Total | | $1,649,193 02 |

LIABILITIES.

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| Capital stock paid in | $ 125,000 00 |
| Surplus fund | 125,000 00 |
| Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid | 73,886 70 |
| National Bank notes outstanding | 125 000 00 |
| Due to other National banks | 186,498 91 |
| Due to State Banks and Bankers | 193,050 88 |
| Dividends unpaid | 580 00 |
| Individual deposits subject to check | 791,405 43 |
| Certified checks | 800 00 |
| Cashier's checks outstanding | 12,350 04 |
| United States Deposits | 101,980 00 |
| Total | $1,649,193 02 |

State of North Carolina, county of New Hanover, ss.:

I, J. W. Yates, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

J. W. YATES, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 16th day of November, 1904.

W. C. ARMSTRONG, Notary Public.

CORRECT—Attest:

C. W. YATES,
D. McEACHERN,
JNO. E. ARMSTRONG,
} Directors.

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Original Va. Cheroots.

Little Va. Tips.

Echo Little Cigar.

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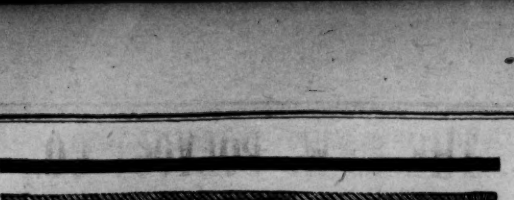

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We now have a full stock of Breech-loading Guns of several standard manufactures. Loaded Shells of all kinds, Gun Cases, Leggings, Shooting Coats, Hats; in fact a full assortment of season goods in the above line. We can make attractive prices.

We are Agents for Hazard Powder and Tashan's Shot.

## WM. E PRINER & CO.,

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## We Have An Excellent No. 2 Chestnut ANTHRACITE COAL

Suitable for small coal burners and self-feeding Stoves, that we are selling at $5.50 per ton.

No 1 Chestnut, Anthracite - - $6.50 per ton
Jellico Coal, best - - - - - - - 5.50 " "
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We respectfully solicit your orders.

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OUR SURPLUS of over $90,000.00 (all earned; none paid in) is larger than that of any other Savings Bank in North Carolina. No bank in the State affords greater security to depositors. We invite your business.

## The Wilmington Savings & Trust Co.,

108 Princess Street.

J. W. NORWOOD, President. H. WALTERS, Vice President.
C. E. TAYLOR, Jr., Cashier.

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## THE MURCHISON NATIONAL BANK,

of Wilmington, N. C.

Organized March, 1899.

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| Capital and Surplus | $ 450,000 |
| Deposits | 1,880,000 |
| Total Assets | 2,570,000 |

Our large capital and assets enable us to offer customers exceptional security and facilities.

$500,000 to lend on approved paper.

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is found in the Extra Quality cigar as an after-dinner smoke. It burns easily, draws freely, is chock full of delicious aroma, and has just the soothing quality "mere man" to aid his digestion of his heaviest meal. Not a pang to his purse, for this high class cigar sells for 5c the one, $2 the box of fifty. Always ask for the Extra Quality.

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no 6 tf 10 North Front Street.


## SPIRITS TURPENTINE.

— Charlotte News: Granville county has a register of deeds who has the remarkable record of having held that office fifty-four years. He was re-elected last week and led his ticket. His name is John Laws. Is there another county in the entire country that can equal this record?

— The two boys, Willard Gosnell and Colin Furches, who are charged with attempting to burn the farm school last Friday night, near Asheville, were allowed to submit to a misdemeanor in the Superior Court at Asheville on Wednesday. The boys gave their ages as 13 and 15 years. Judge Shaw will consider the case further before passing sentence.

— Raleigh Times: It is said if a horse gets sick at a cross roads store, he is sure to die. The explanation is, that so many pass, each having his own remedy, the horse is certain to die. If the Democratic party listens to one-tenth of those who assume its guardianship, it's very much in the same plight with the sick horse at the cross-roads store.

— Raleigh Times: Blackburn made a clever "double play," and ought to have his home run. He not only whipped out his opponent, but he at the same time tanned out a snarling element in his own gang. We have no thought Blackburn is fit to represent the district in Congress. We would not know him if we were to meet him in the road, and yet we feel some sympathy for him, now that some of his own crowd are trying to "run the hog over him."

— A distinguished party of capitalists from New York, Winston Salem, Charlotte, Salisbury and other points is spending several days this week in an inspection of the noted "Narrows," a seat of wonderful water power on the Yadkin river, some eighteen miles from Salisbury. The party is headed by Capt. E. B. C. Hanbly of the Whitney Reduction Company, whose headquarters are in Salisbury, and other members are Messrs. J. L. Chambers and Jeremiah Goff, of New York; J. P. Caldwell and D. A. Tompkins, of Charlotte; R. J. Reynolds, of Winston-Salem, and others. It is learned that it is the purpose of the Whitney Reduction Company to begin active work on the development of a great electric power plant at an early day.

— Raleigh Post: In a recent issue of the Post reference was made to a new book just from the pen of E. A. Johnson, colored, of this city, entitled "Light Ahead for the Negro," and a very creditable work it is, too, for the author. In the criticism an injustice was done the book in that the impression was conveyed that the hero was a negro and the heroine a white girl. The fact is that both are white, the hero a graduate of Yale who proposes to devote his life to the missionary work among the negroes of the south and the heroine a neice of a large cotton planter of Georgia, a pretty and unique romance terminating in the marriage of the two. The author develops a very logical policy for the solution of the negro problem in the South and brings out the result of its application during a period of one hundred years from 1906 to 2006. Readers generally, white people and negroes, will find the book interesting and profitable.

— While waiting for the Coast Line train to pass a street crossing Wednesday, night at Newberne, Frank Abbott, a white boy 16 years old, was riding along on his wheel slowly. When within a short distance from the moving cars a negro ran up and gave young Abbott a push forward, which necessitated throwing his left arm out to prevent him from being thrown under the cars, but he missed the car and fell under the train, the wheels passing over his arm right at the shoulder blade, almost severing it from his body. Only a small piece of skin connected his arm to his body and it was removed at the physicians office. Abbott says he does not know who the negro was, and that when he came up to him he cursed him just as he pushed. The negro was captured at Five Points and carried before Mayor Ellis, who committed him to jail. His name is John Gillie. He virtually admitted pushing Frank under the train while he attempted to board the moving cars.

— A dispatch from Asheville on Wednesday says: J. H. Bell, of Cherokee, son of ex State Senator Stephen Bell, was bound over to the United States Court to day in the sum of $1,000, charged with attempting to pass counterfeit money. A woman who came here with Bell and passed as the man's wife was also bound over in the sum of $500. It is alleged that Bell and the woman had been stopping at a well known boarding house here and that in settlement of board yesterday the woman gave the proprietor two silver dollars, which were subsequently determined counterfeit. The pair was arrested. The woman claimed that Bell gave her the money and that she did not know it was counterfeit. Bell, who is a dentist in a small town in Cherokee, has a wife. It is said that a considerable amount of counterfeit money has been circulated in western North Carolina and the belief is prevalent that there is located some place in this section a manufactory for the "queer." Secret service men, it is said, will be sent there to investigate.


**Disastrous Wrecks.**

Carelessness is responsible for many a railway wreck, and the same causes are making human wrecks of sufferers from throat and lung troubles. But since the advent of Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds, even the worst cases can be cured, and hopeless resignation is no longer necessary. Mrs. Lois Crarr, of Dorchester, Mass., is one of many whose life was saved by Dr. King's New Discovery. This great remedy is guaranteed for all Throat and Lung diseases by R. R. BELLAMY, druggist. Price 50 cents and $1.00. Trial bottles free.



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You will realize then why Schlitz beer is pure.

You wash a cooking utensil once. We wash a bottle *four* times, by machinery, before we fill it.

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Do you wonder that we sell over a million barrels annually? Ask for the brewery bottling.

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## The Beer That Made Milwaukee Famous.


— Raleigh Post: W. J. Butler, an injured husband, appeared as a witness against his wife in Magistrate Barbee's court yesterday and exhibited a hand full of red whiskers he pulled from the beard of the man who wronged his home. The magistrate's warrant was issued for Mary Butler and Artemus Hunnicut. The woman was arrested and bound over to court, but Hunnicut has not been found, although Butler is carrying in his pocket a double handful of auburn whiskers he jerked from the despoiler's chin.


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**Enjoy Using Herpicide on Account of Its Distinctiveness.**

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## REPORT

OF THE CONDITION OF THE ATLANTIC Trust & Banking Co., at Wilmington, N. C., at the close of business, September 6th, 1904. Began business September 1903.

RESOURCES.

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| Loans and discounts | | $ 428,158 55 |
| Furniture and fixtures | $160 00 | 100 00 |
| Demand loans | | 47,550 00 |
| Due from banks and bankers | | 23,854 32 |
| Cash items | | 5,361 36 |
| Gold coin | | 75 00 |
| Silver coin, including all minor coin currency | | 379 17 |
| National bank notes and other U. S. notes | | 781 00 |
| Total | | $508,959 39 |

LIABILITIES.

| | |
|---|---|
| Capital stock paid in | $ 50,000 00 |
| Undivided profits, less current expenses and taxes paid | 13,197 61 |
| Dividends unpaid | 15 00 |
| Deposits subject to check | 405,400 16 |
| Demand certificates of deposit | 39,786 00 |
| Cashier's checks out standing | 3,573 15 |
| Certified checks | 100 00 |
| Total | $508,959 39 |

State of North Carolina, county of New Hanover, ss:

I, Milton Calder, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

MILTON CALDER, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 12th day of September, 1904.

S. M. BOATWRIGHT, Notary Public.

CORRECT—Attest:
L. S. ROGERS,
JOHN H. KUCK, } Directors.
ROBERT R. BELLAMY,

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Traffic Manager. se 20 tf



WINTER SCHEDULE

## SUBURBAN LINE.

In Effect November 13, 1904.

| Leave Wilmington. | Leave Wrightsville. | Leave W. Beach. |
|---|---|---|
| †7.00 A. M. | 8 15 | |
| 10 00 A. M. | | 11.00 A. M. |
| 3 01 P. M. | | 5 00 P. M. |
| *6 10 P. M. | 7.00 P. M. | |
| *10 00 P. M. (Saturday) | 10.20 P. M. | (Saturday only) |

*Will go to Beach on request.
†Daily except Sunday.

FREIGHT.

(Daily except Sunday)

†3.00 P. M. 5 00 P. M.

The Company is not responsible for operation of this schedule.

GOLF GROUNDS.

(Daily except Sunday)

| Leave Front and Princess Sts | Leave Grounds |
|---|---|
| †2:30 P. M. | 5:10 P. M. |

CITY LINE.

Car for S. A. L. depot will leave Front and Princess streets daily at 3:00 P. M. no 13 tf



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7 South Front street.

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## ATLANTIC COAST LINE.

Schedule In Effect June 11, 1904.

NORTHBOUND.

| | No 48 | No 42 |
|---|---|---|
| Lv Wilmington | 9 15 a m | 6 30 p m |
| Ar Goldsboro | 12 46 p m | 9 32 p m |
| Ar Wilson | 1 16 p m | 10 25 p m |
| Ar Rocky Mount | 1 55 p m | 11 10 p m |
| Ar Norfolk | 5 55 p m | ..... |
| Ar Weldon | 4 55 p m | 1 47 a m |
| Ar Petersburg | 6 55 p m | 3 35 a m |
| Ar Richmond | 7 45 p m | 4 07 a m |
| Ar Washington | 11 50 p m | 7 54 a m |
| Ar Baltimore | 1 43 a m | 9 00 a m |
| Ar Philadelphia | 4 35 a m | 11 22 a m |
| Ar New York | 7 30 a m | 2 00 p m |

SOUTHBOUND.

| | No 41 | No 49 |
|---|---|---|
| Lv New York | 9 35 a m | 9 25 p m |
| Ar Philadelphia | 11 55 a m | 12 01 a m |
| Ar Baltimore | 2 07 p m | 2 32 a m |
| Ar Washington | 3 31 p m | 3 45 a m |
| Ar Norfolk | ..... | 9 00 a m |
| Ar Richmond | 7 15 p m | 8 35 a m |
| Ar Petersburg | 8 00 p m | 9 45 a m |
| Ar Weldon | 9 51 p m | 11 50 a m |
| Ar Rocky Mount | 10 51 p m | 1 05 p m |
| Ar Wilson | 11 35 p m | 2 00 p m |
| Ar Goldsboro | 0 46 a m | 3 10 p m |
| Ar Wilmington | 10 10 a m | 6 00 p m |

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND THE SOUTH.

SOUTHBOUND.

| | *Daily. | Daily. | Daily. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Lv Wilmington | 6 00 a m | 3 30 p m | 5 30 p m |
| Ar Florence | 9 35 a m | 7 00 p m | 8 55 a m |
| Ar Charleston | 1 10 p m | 11 35 p m | 6 40 a m |
| Ar Savannah | 6 45 p m | 2 50 a m | 9 05 a m |
| Ar Jacksonville | ..... | 5 40 a m | 1 45 p m |
| Ar Tampa | 7 35 p m | 11 30 p m | 10 35 p m |

NORTHBOUND.

| | * Daily. | Daily |
|---|---|---|
| Lv Tampa | 8 05 p m | 7 10 a m |
| Ar Jacksonville | 8 00 a m | 4 30 p m |
| Ar Savannah | 1 10 p m | 1 15 a m |
| Ar Charleston | 5 14 p m | 5 55 a m |
| Ar Florence | 7 50 p m | 9 35 a m |
| Ar Wilmington | 11 55 p m | 1 40 p m |

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND SANFORD

| | West Bound †Daily | East Bound Daily |
|---|---|---|
| Lv Wilmington | 9 10 a m | Ar 3 00 p m |
| Ar Fayetteville | 12 50 p m | Ar 4 55 p m |
| Ar Sanford | 1 55 p m | Lv 5 40 p m |

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND NEWBERN

| | North Bound Daily ex Sunday | South Bound |
|---|---|---|
| Lv Wilmington | 2 35 p m | Ar 12 30 p m |
| Ar Newbern | 5 40 p m | Lv 9 00 a m |

*Except Sunday.

Trains Nos. 42 and 41 carry Pullman Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Washington, connecting with Penna R. R. for all points east.

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No. 40 arrives Wilmington daily 12:45 P. M., connects at Hamlet with all trains from North and South.

No. 44 arrives Wilmington daily except Sunday, 11:30 P. M., connects at Hamlet with No. 41, from Norfolk and Raleigh.

For further information regarding schedules, rates, Pullman reservations from Hamlet to all points call or address

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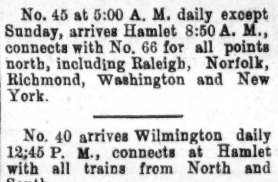
Time Table No. 11



To Take Effect Thursday, Sept. 8, 1904, at 10.19 A. M.

| GOING EAST. | | | GOING WEST. | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 2 Passg'r Trains Arrive | Leave | STATIONS. | 4 Passg'r Trains Arrive | Leave |
| P. M. | P. M. | | A. M. | A. M. |
| ..... | 4 30 | Goldsboro | 11 05 | ..... |
| ..... | 4 42 | Kinston | 10 13 | ..... |
| 5 40 | 5 50 | Newbern | 8 27 | 9 00 |
| 7 15 | 7 27 | Morehead City | | 6 55 |
| P. M. | P. M. | | A. M. | A. M. |

Train 4 connects with W. & W. train bound North, leaving Goldsboro at 11.35 A. M., and with Southern Railway train West, leaving Goldsboro 2.00 P. M., and with W. & N. at Newbern for Wilmington and intermediate points.

Train 2 connects with Southern Railway train arriving at Goldsboro 3.00 P. M., and with W. & W. train from the North at 3.05 P. M. No. 1 train also connects with W. & N. for Wilmington and intermediate points.

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The Morning Star.

WILMINGTON, N. C.

FRIDAY MORNING, NOVEMBER 18.

## TRIAL OF NAN PATTERSON.

### The Former Show Girl Charged With Murder of Cæsar Young—Eye Witness of Shooting Discovered.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, Nov. 17.—With four of the twelve men who are to decide her fate already selected, the trial of Nan Patterson, the former show girl, charged with the murder of Caesar Young, the wealthy horseman, was continued in the criminal branch of the Supreme Court to-day. The greatest care has been used in the examination of talesmen and the exhaustive questioning and almost indiscriminate challenging for even the slightest cause, indicated that the panel of 100 talesmen might be exhausted before the task was finished.

Miss Patterson seemed in very good spirits when she entered the court room to-day and a brief chat with her counsel before the trial was resumed added to her apparent cheerfulness. Mr. Levy informed the defendant that the morning mail had brought him a letter which might have an important bearing on the case. What the letter contained was not divulged.

The defendant's father, J. Randolph Patterson, of Washington, was in the court room early and occupied a seat near his daughter within the bar enclosure.

John Millin, who was Caesar Young's racing partner and who it is understood will be one of the principal witnesses for the prosecution, was made to sit in the rear of the court room upon request of the prisoner. Millin had a seat near the bar enclosure and had been watching Miss Patterson closely for some time when she asked that he be taken away from the rail. As Mr. Millin passed the defendant in going to the rear of the court room she shrank back upon her father's shoulder.

An eye-witness to the shooting of Young was discovered in a most unusual way to-day while the trial was in progress. Archibald J. C. Anderson, one of the men summoned for examination as to his qualifications to serve on the jury, was being questioned by Assistant District Attorney Bond, when he asked permission to speak with Judge Davis, who is presiding at the trial. After a whispered conversation counsel for the prosecution and defence were called to the bench and a moment later Anderson was excused and joined counsel for the prisoner within the bar enclosure. Daniel J. O'Reilly, one of Miss Patterson's attorneys, said that an eye-witness to the shooting had been discovered. Information to this effect had been communicated to Judge Davis by Mr. Anderson.

When court adjourned seven jurors had been accepted.

## FLIGHT SHIPWRECKED SAILORS

### Captain and Crew of the Schooner Islesboro Rescued by a British Steamer and Taken to New York.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, Nov. 17.—Eight shipwrecked sailors, the captain and crew of the three-masted schooner Islesboro, who were rescued from their storm battered, waterlogged craft after a terrible experience in the hurricane which swept the Atlantic seaboard early in the week, were brought here to-day on the British steamer Atholl, which arrived from Yokohama and other far eastern ports. The rescue was made in the dangerous seas off Cape Henry, while the waves were breaking over the helpless craft fore and aft. Once on the Atholl the men were given food and warm clothing and they showed little of the effects of their terrible experience when they arrived here to-day. The Islesboro sailed from Savannah, Ga., November 9th, bound for New Bedford, Mass., with a cargo of yellow pine. The schooner encountered the hurricane on Sunday, the 13th. Her sails were blown to ribbons. The tremendous seas pounded the schooner so incessantly that she sprang a leak and filled rapidly, settling until her decks were awash. All hands sought safety on the deck of the after-house, from which perilous position they were rescued eighteen hours later by the Atholl.

## SOUTHERN EXPRESS CO.

### Annual Meeting at Savannah—Directors and Officers Re-elected.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

SAVANNAH, GA., Nov. 17.—The annual meeting of the Southern Express Company was held here to-day. None of the reports of officers was given out, but the following announcement of directors and officers was made:

Directors—T. W. Leary, Atlanta, Ga.; C. L. Loop, Chattanooga, Tenn.; M. J. O'Brien, New York; M. F. Plant, New York; O. M. Sadler, Charlotte, N. C.; H. W. Sheldon, New York; G. H. Tilley, New York. Officers—Chairman of the Board, M. F. Plant; President, M. J. O'Brien; First Vice President, T. W. Leary; Second Vice President, C. L. Loop; Secretary and Treasurer, G. H. Tilley.

F. J. Dubignon, of Atlanta, was reappointed general counsel and Robert C. Alston, of Atlanta, was made assistant general counsel."

## MRS. MAYBRICK

### Denies That She Intends to Go Upon the Stage or Lecture Platform.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, Nov. 17.—The Associated Press has received the following communication:

"*Brooklyn, Nov. 17th*—To the Associated Press—Will you kindly do me the great favor to most emphatically contradict any and all statements to the effect that I intend to make a public appearance, either on the stage or the lecture platform. Permit me to add that in no instance has there been the slightest ground for such a report. Yours, truly,

"FLORENCE ELIZABETH MAYBRICK."

## CARGO ON FIRE.

### Schooner Greenleaf Johnson Scuttled at New London, Conn.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW LONDON, CONN., Nov. 17.—The schooner Greenleaf Johnson arrived here to-day with her cargo on fire and was scuttled.

The schooner is owned by E. H. Weaver, of New Haven, and was loaded with garbage tonkage at Barren Island, N. Y., for South Carolina. Her cargo is owned by Heller, Hirsch & Company, of New York, and was insured.

## RUSSIANS HOPE TO HOLD MUKDEN.

### Japanese Concentrating Strong Forces on Left and Center to Take Initiative.

### REINFORCEMENTS ARRIVING.

### Believed That Fighting Will be Renewed Friday—Advices from Port Arthur. The Commander Wounded—Garrison Encouraged.

By Cable to the Morning Star.

The Japanese army south of Mukden is reported to be concentrating on their left and centre, presumably with the intention of attacking, and a renewal of fighting is expected to-day. Statements given out at St. Petersburg regarding the situation at Port Arthur are more hopeful and represent that the garrison may be expected to hold out until the arrival of Vice Admiral Rojestvensky's squadron. The report that General Stoessel had been wounded is confirmed, but it is said that his injury is not sufficient to prevent him from directing the defence of the fortress.

MUKDEN, VIA PEKIN, Nov. 17.—If there is to be any activity at the front in the near future it is apparent that the initiative must be taken by the Japanese.

It is reported that the Japanese are concentrating strong forces on their left and center, undoubtedly with the realization that they must be assured of speedy success before attacking, as it will be impossible for their armies to remain in the field without shelter, owing to the bitterly cold nights.

The Russians have greatly strengthened their position and hope to hold Mukden through the winter.

### Japs Fortifying.

CHANSIANOUTUN, MANCHURIA (Gen. Kuropatkin's Headquarters), Nov. 17.—The Japanese, according to the Russian scouts, are heavily fortifying their second line of defence along the Taitse river. The major portion of the skirmishing the last few days has been around the village of Yansintoundi. Some Japanese and Russians who had gone unarmed to the same spring of water, had a hand-to-hand fight. There were plenty of broken heads but not one on either side was killed.

MUKDEN, Nov. 17.—It is reported that 30,000 Japanese troops have been landed at Few Chwang and 30,000 others at Pitsewo and that a turning movement on the Russian right is expected.

Everything has continued quiet up to the present moment, but it is confidently believed that fighting will be renewed on Friday.

The report of General Kuroki's death persists, but Chinese deny it.

### Conditions at Port Arthur.

ST. PETERSBURG, Nov. 18, 2:15 A. M.—Rejoicing over the undaunted spirit displayed by General Stoessel in his telegram of congratulation to Emperor Nicholas on the anniversary of his accession to the throne and officially announcing the failure of General Nogi's nine-day attempt to present Port Arthur to the Mikado as a birthday gift, is tempered by private information that the gallant commander of the garrison has been wounded. General Stoessel was struck in the head by a splinter from a shell while he was personally directing the repulse of a particularly desperate assault, but fortunately the wound is not serious and General Stoessel has not been obliged to relinquish command.

Other information sent by General Stoessel which has not been divulged for strategic reasons, it is stated by the war office, is by no means unfavorable. While the garrison is now hemmed in the citadel itself, not one of the main forts has been taken. The garrison has been provisioned, fresh ammunition has arrived and General Stoessel expresses confidence that the defence can be successfully maintained until the arrival of Vice Admiral Rojestvensky's second Pacific squadron.

The report that the armored cruiser Gromober had been injured at Vladivostok is confirmed. The vessel grounded as she was returning to the harbor from a trial trip after the repair of the injuries received in the fight with Admiral Kamimuras' squadron but at the admirality these injuries are said to be slight.

### Situation Critical.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 17.—Consul General Fowler to-day cabled to the State Department from Che Foo that the situation at Port Arthur is extremely critical, the outer forts having fallen into the possession of the Japanese. He also states that three Japanese torpedo boat destroyers are lying outside of Che Foo harbor and that the Russian crew of the torpedo destroyer destroyed yesterday are transferring their arms and supplies to a Chinese cruiser which is posted in front of the Russian consulate.

## IN MADISON SQUARE GARDEN.

### Excitement at the Horse Show—One of the Officials Run Down and Trampled Upon by a Pair of Horses.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, Nov. 17.—Spectators were thrown into intense excitement to-night at the horse show in Madison Square Garden when John G. Heckscher, secretary of the National Horse Show Association of America, was run down and trampled upon by a pair of horses on exhibition in the ring. Women screamed and men crowded toward the ring. Before the excitement passed several women fainted. Many believed that Mr. Heckscher had been killed as half conscious he was dragged from under the hoofs of the horses.

In the ring at the time there were the horses Buster Brown and Kaizen jamer Kid, driven by Mrs. Edward R. Ladew, of Glen Cove, Long Island. Mrs. Ladew had pulled them up from a rather rapid gait and Mr. Heckscher attempted to pass in front of them, when one of the horses plunged forward and struck him. In an instant Mr. Heckscher was down and the animal was trampling him. His head and shoulders were struck several times by the horse's hoofs. When help reached him he was almost unconscious, his face was cut in places and he was bleeding profusely. Mr. Heckscher was at once removed to his home where the fear was expressed that he may have concussion of the brain or a possible fracture of the skull.

Mr. Heckscher is the father in-law of Mayor George B. McClellan and is a member of many prominent organizations.

The Assateague Life Saving Station reports that the schooner J. Howell Leeds, from Tennants harbor for Philadelphia, has arrived at Assateague, Va., with rudder gone.

## THE CATHOLIC UNIVERSITY.

### Board of Trustees Meeting—Financial Affairs of the Institution—Marquise des Monstiers' Letter.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 17.—The board of trustees of the Catholic University which has been meeting here for two days, adjourned to-day until the second Wednesday after Easter. In all, four sessions were held, during which the principal topic of discussion was the finances of the institution. There was also informal consideration of the letter of the Marquise de Monstiers-Merinville, founder of the University, in which she made public her renunciation of the Catholic religion. At the University to-night it was announced that notwithstanding the Waggaman failure, by which the University will lose at least part of the $876,000 which has been invested through Waggaman, the work of the institution would go on with greater vigor than ever before. It was positively stated that no action was taken by the trustees regarding the Marquise de Monstier's letter.

To-night Rector O'Connell issued a statement regarding the affairs of the University, a resolution having been adopted by the trustees to that effect. A more formal one will be issued in the near future to the Catholic public. The preliminary statement authorized to-night is as follows:

"The board of trustees takes this occasion to thank all those who contributed so generously in the past year for the support of the University, and thereby exhibited their desire to correspond to the wishes of the Pope. The collections last year amounted to over $105,000. Out of this amount and other contributions the University was able to pay off its floating debt, which amounted to $68,743, and to pay current expenses, as well as to invest $50,000. In addition to this $50,000 were contributed by the Knights of Columbus to found the chair of American History.

"No money was placed in the hands of Mr. Waggaman since April, 1903, and therefore no part of this $100,000 is involved in the bankruptcy proceedings brought against him.

"The annual collection for the University is set for the first Sunday in Advent, which this year will be November 27th.

"Provision was made by the board to secure the financial solidity of the University, and plans were agreed upon to enlarge its scope, with particular reference to the undergraduate course which was inaugurated this year, and this work will be pushed more vigorously than before."

In an authoritative quarter it was said that the forthcoming statement, will make no reference to the Marquise des Monstier Monranville.

## BAD ACCIDENT AT TORONTO.

### Street Car Wrecked by a Freight Train. Four Persons Killed and Many Others Injured.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

TORONTO, ONT., NOV. 17.—A street car with trailer attached got beyond control of the motorman and crashed through the guard gates at the Queen street crossing of the Grand Trunk Railway to-night. A Montreal freight train struck the forward car, grinding it to splinters. Every passenger on the street cars was injured, two dying soon after being taken from the wreckage and two at the hospital. The dead are: James Armstrong, conductor; one year old child of J. Robertson. The baby was thrown from its mother's arms and both its legs were cut off. Mrs. Minnie Mahaffy internally injured, died at hospital. Russell T. Stevens, internally injured, died at hospital.

The forward car was struck fairly in the center and completely demolished. The vestibule from which the motorman had jumped was carried up the track one hundred yards. The trailer was overturned and all the windows were smashed but the body of the car remained intact.

## AUTOMOBILE ACCIDENT

### One Person Killed and Two Others Seriously Hurt at Los Angeles, Cal.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

LOS ANGELES, Nov. 17.—In an automobile accident in the suburbs of the city to-day Humphrey Praed, assistant general manager of the San Jacinto Land Company, of Riverside, Calif., was instantly killed, and Miss Mina Rudolph, leading lady of the "San Toy" Opera Company, and C. S. Fry, chaffeur, were seriously hurt. Praed was running the machine when it went over an embankment, pinning the occupants beneath. Miss Rudolph is suffering from concussion of the brain and possibly internal injuries. She will recover. Fry sustained only minor injuries. Praed's mother, Mrs. Campbell Praed, is a well known literary woman. The family is a wealthy one, their home being in England.

## TROLLEY CAR ACCIDENT.

### Resulted in One Death and Serious Injury of Several Persons

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

CHATTANOOGA, TENN., NOV. 17.—A head-on collision to-day on the Rapid Transit street car line, due to a heavy fog, resulted in one death and the serious injury of several persons. J. Woodall, a passenger, who was internally hurt, died later of his injuries.

Motorman Burkner, both of whose legs were cut off, and Motorman Harris, who received internal injuries, will probably die.

## WARM WIRELETS

Hon. Hugh Smith Thompson, former governor of South Carolina, and former assistant secretary of the treasury, who is ill at his home in New York, was said last night by his physician to be gradually sinking and conscious only at intervals.

Former Judge Alton B. Parker was yesterday appointed a member of two commission, to acquire dock and wharfage rights for New York on the East river. The appointment was made by Justice O'Gorman in the Supreme Court.

Frenk J. Hecker has resigned as a member of the Panama canal commission. Mr. Hecker in his letter of resignation says the climate of the canal zone is so unfavorable that continued residence there would be at the risk of a physical breakdown.

Governor Terrell of Georgia issued a full pardon to Mamie de Oris, known in the police circles as "The Diamond Queen." Her term of two years would have expired next Monday. The pardon was granted on the promise of the woman to reform.

Secretary Taft left Washington yesterday on his way to Panama, where he goes as the special representative of President Roosevelt to present a message of amity and good will of President Amador. The secretary will sail Monday from Pensacola, Florida, on the cruiser Columbia.

## NO CAUSE FOR ALARMIST REPORTS

### Regarding the Hitch in the Anglo-Russian Convention Which is Expected to be Removed.

### AS TO NORTH SEA AFFAIR.

### The Situation Explained by the Russian Foreign Office—Exception Taken to the Phraseology of the English Statement

By Cable to the Morning Star.

ST. PETERSBURG, Nov. 17.—At the Foreign Office the Associated Press learns there is absolutely no cause for the alarmist reports regarding the hitch in the Anglo-Russian convention which it is confidently expected will be removed and a full agreement reached within a few days. The report that Ambassador Benkendorff will be recalled is ridiculed. The situation is explained as follows:

Russia provisionally accepted the text of the convention in English as submitted by Great Britain, but when it was translated exception was taken to the phraseology, particularly to the portion referring to the determination of blame, Russia contending that the context did not clearly raise the question of any blame which may attach to the other side.

Exception was also taken to the language relating to the firing upon the fishermen, which as worded, left the impression that the Russian ships knowingly fired upon them. Consequently, Russia prepared an entirely new text in French, which was submitted but was rejected by Great Britain. Then, after some exchanges, in which French assistance was acknowledged, an arrangement was reached that each side submit new texts from which no difficulty is anticipated in reaching a final conclusion. One of the points agreed to is a preamble wherein the procedure is described, but more important is a proposition for a supplemental article which will lay down the procedure for this convention and for any enquiries of a kindred nature, the necessity for which may arise in the future between the two countries. The convention, therefore, promises to mark an important step in the relations between the two countries, creating through The Hague convention a sort of permanent arrangement for solving similar misunderstandings in the future.

## SHOPLIFTING IN NEW YORK.

### An Alliance Formed by Department Stores to Stop Petty Pilfering—Amounting the Past Year to $500,000.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, Nov. 17.—Losses of half a million dollars through shop lifting has been suffered during the past year by twenty-one department stores in this city, whose proprietors because of such losses have formed an alliance to fight petty pilfering. The fact that such an alliance has been formed came out to day when a woman was given a fifteen day sentence in the court of general sessions after having pleaded guilty to a charge of stealing goods valued at $5.04 from a department store.

Hitherto the storekeepers have been willing to let offenders off with a fine, and the court as a rule has acted accordingly.

Before sentence was imposed to-day the attorney who had prosecuted the case, said that his law firm had been retained by an alliance of twenty-one department stores to prosecute every case of shoplifting.

The shoplifting evil has become so great, said he, "owing to the leniency of Justices of Special Sessions, that it is a very serious matter to the firms concerned. During the past year the losses through shoplifting to the twenty-one firms in this alliance which I represent have amounted to $500,000."

## VISITED MOUNT VERNON.

### Prince Fushimi Placed a Wreath on the Tomb of Washington and Planted a Tree to Mark His Visit.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 17.—Prince Fushimi to-day visited Mount Vernon, placed a wreath on the tomb of Washington and planted a tree on the old estate of the first president. The trip there and back was made on the naval yacht Sylvia. The Prince took luncheon on board on the return trip. As he entered and left the navy yard the marines gave him the prescribed honors and he was given the royal salute of twenty-one guns and two hundred blue jackets on the Hartford stood in the rigging. The wreath placed on the tomb was of large size and made of chrysanthemums, the national flower of Japan. As four orderlies from the marine barracks then placed the wreath between the tombs of George and Martha Washington, the prince and his party remained outside with heads uncovered. The prince did not enter the tomb. The planting of the tree was then begun, the prince himself throwing several spadefuls of earth on the Japanese maple which will mark his visit.

## PANAMA EXCITED.

### But U. S. Marines Will Probably Prevent Any Disturbance.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

PANAMA, Nov. 17.—The treaty between the United States and Panama has prevented one more revolution on the isthmus. The rumored coup d'etat by the military elements, it seems, was more serious than it was at first thought to be. Minister Barrett, after a consultation with the Panama government and General Davis, commander of the canal zone, decided to ask Admiral Goodrich to leave one of the warships of the United States Pacific squadron here to prevent any possible disturbance. This morning one hundred marines from Empire camp arrived here. General Huertar, the minister of war, has announced his intention to resign, which will clear the political atmosphere. Though disturbances are not feared, in the present circumstances, Panama is greatly excited.

### A Runaway Bicycle

Terminated with an ugly cut on the leg of J. B. Orner, of Franklin Grove, Ill. It developed a stubborn ulcer unyielding to doctors and remedies for four years. Then Bucklen's Arnica Salve cured. It is just as good for Burns, Scalds, Skin Eruptions and Piles. Only 25 cents, at R. R. BELLAMY'S drug store.

## A DESTRUCTIVE FIRE.

### Steamship Piers at Charlestown, Mass., Destroyed—Loss $600,000.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

BOSTON, Nov. 17.—The London Pier and shed of the Warren Line in Charlestown, filled with oil, wood pulp and other highly inflamable material, was completely consumed by fire to-night, and it was only by the utmost exertion that the firemen were able to save adjoining property. The big Hoosac Tunnel grain elevator and the White Star Line pier and a number of vessels narrowly escaped destruction.

The fire burned very rapidly but the wind sent the flames toward the harbor end of the shed. The entire north end of the city was deluged with sparks, some dropping on Washington street as far as newspaper row and numerous small fires resulted.

At midnight the shed was still burning, but the fire was under control. The loss is estimated at $600,000.

The shed which was burned, was fairly jammed with valuable freight, including the entire cargo of the L. P. Holmblad. The upper story of the shed also contained a large amount of imported freight in bond. A custom house officer estimated the loss of the freight at a half million, while the Warren Line Company officials place the loss of the pier at $100,000.

## MERCHANT MARINE.

### The National Commission on a Tour of Southern Ports.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

BRUNSWICK, GA., Nov. 17.—The National Merchant Marine Commission in making a tour of the Southern ports, visited Brunswick to-day and had an interesting meeting this afternoon at which delegations were present from Savannah, Fernandina and the other South Atlantic ports. The object of the meeting was to receive suggestions on a bill to be presented to Congress at the next session, for the betterment of American shipping. Interesting addresses were made, and the commission left to-night for Newport News, Va.

A bomb was exploded at the Mayor's office, Barcelona, Spain, yesterday. The building was not much damaged but nine persons were seriously injured and several others were slightly hurt.

— In the near future Alamance county is to have one of the longest electric railroads in the State. It will take in Burlington, Graham, Haw River, Swepsonville and River Falls. The two last named towns are without railroad communication, and the road will help greatly in bringing the product of the cotton mills to market.

## BUSINESS LOCALS.

☞ Notices for Rent or Sale, Lost or Found Wants, and other short Miscellaneous Advertisements inserted in this Department, in solid Nonpariel Type, for 1 cent per word each insertion; but no advertisement taken for less than 20 cents. Terms positively cash in advance.

**Wanted**—Lady or gentleman of fair education to travel, for a firm of $250,000 capital. Salary $1,072 per year and expenses, paid weekly. Address M. Percival, Wilmington, N. C. nov 18 1t*

**Hot** steamed frankfut, hot coffee, always ready at the Dixie. Batson & Hergenrother, 117 Princess street. nov 18 tf

**Furnished** rooms for rent. Hot and cold bath on same floor. Apply 218 Walnut street, two blocks from A. C. L. Station. nov 17 tf

**For Rent**—Three large airy rooms, bath attached. Apply 318 South Second street. nov 16 3t*

**Wanted**—Regular boarders, gentlemen preferred. Can also furnish first class table board. Mrs. E. S. Bannerman, 116 Red Cross St. nov 13 6t

**For** personal attention and prompt collection and returns of your rents go to M. C. Darby & Co., Real Estate Agents, 114½ Princess St. nov 13 tf

**Osteopathy.** Why take drugs when you can be cured without them. Try Osteopathy, it will do you good. J. W. Kibler, D. O., now permanently located at 514 Princess street. Six years experience. Phone 1,061. Hours 9 A. M. to 1 P. M. and 2 to 4:30 P. M. nov 13 tf

**We want** to put a velvet collar on your Overcoat. Wilmington Pressing Club. no 5 tf

**Just Received**—Car of Fancy New York State Irish potatoes that I will sell in lots away down in price. Car now being unloaded at foot of Dock street. Fresh consignments of Cabbage, Apples and other produce being received daily. A. S. Winstead, 213 Market street. 'Phone 903. oct 19 tf

**For Sale**—Two turpentine stills in good working condition—one especially good. Cheap for cash. C. W. Worth, receiver. dec 13 tf

**Offices** for rent in The Worth Building—the most convenient business location in the city. Modern equipment. Apply to The Worth Co. feb 18 tf

**Sewing Machines**, Typewriters, Organs repaired. Will be in town for a few days only. Address J. B. Farrar, No. 9 South Eighth street. dec 20 tf

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Reasons Why.

You get the best.
You get it promptly.
We are sure it's just right.

These three, but the greatest of these is the last. Our prescriptions are compounded from pure fresh ingredients, by registered druggists of experience.

Hot drinks now being served at our fountain, the most popular place in town.

AHRENS,
no 15 tf The Druggist.

JUST RECEIVED

A lot of genuine Wilson Heaters, the best on earth.

Cost but little more than others, and consume less than half the fuel. Call or send your orders early. Also everything else in the Furniture line. Wholesale or retail, cash or credit.

GASTON D. PHARES & CO.,
Nov 10 Wtf 110 and 112 Market street. Wilmington, N. C.

A Delightful Pleasure.

Nothing pleases a man more than a good, clean shave. We give the cleanest shave obtainable, not only in point of keen razors, but as to real cleanliness. We use a clean towel for each man and everything else is thoroughly antiseptic.

GUION & DAVIS,
Climax Barber Shop,
7 South Front street.
feb26 tf

Carolina Copper Works.

Manufacturers of Stills and all kinds of Copper Work for Turpentine Distillers, Spiritine Plants, Steamships, &c.

Sheet Iron Work of Every Description.

Plating in Gold, Silver, Nickel, Bronze and Brass. Brass Polishing and Lacquering.

Cast Iron and Saw Brazing A Specialty.

All kinds of repairing in our line executed with accuracy and despatch.

Mr. Swenson has had 27 years' experience and we can guarantee satisfaction.

S. W. SKINNER, Proprietor.
CHAS. T. SWENSON, Supt.
oc 31 tf Corner Second and Dock Sts.

Iron and Steel.

Iron and lead goods are daily advancing in price. If you are going to purchase don't delay. We are making a run this week on Merchant's Old Method, old style and Elsie Tin, Solder, Lead Pipe, Pig Lead, Galvanized and Black Iron Pipe, soil Pipe and fittings.

Enamelled Bath Tubs, Kitchen Sinks and 30 gallon Range Boilers.

We want your inquiries and orders for

Mill, House, Yacht and Steam Fitters' Supplies.

T. D. LOVE COMPANY,
Wholesale Dealers,
204, 206 North Water St.
nov 12 tf

Christmas Coming.

161 Barrels Apples.
294 Boxes New Raisins, due.
12,000 C. C. Nuts, due.
4,500 Florida Oranges.
1,800 Pounds Mixed Nuts.
2,400 Pounds Evaporated Apples.
4,500 Bushels Virginia Peanuts.
3,100 Bushels N. C. Peanuts.
326 Boxes Stick Candy.
110 Boxes Fancy Candy.
96 Pails Chocolate.
250 Boxes Penny Candy.
103 Boxes Videt Kisses.
41 Boxes Sweetheart Kisses.

W. B. COOPER,
Wholesale Grocer,
nov 17 tf Wilmington, N. C.

NEW BOOKS.

A Ladder of Swords; by Gilbert Parker.
The Last Hope; by Henry Seton Merrimon.
The Crossing; by Winston Churchill.
Vergilius; by Irving Bacheller.
Four Roads to Paradise; by Maud Wilder Goodwin.
In the Bishop's Carriage; by Marian Michelson.
The Pillar of Light; by E. J. Clode.
The Motor Pirate; by G. Sidney Paternoster.

ROBT. C. DeROSSET,
Bookseller and Stationer.
sep 4tf 32 North Front St.

Steamer A. P. Hurt.

Schedule of steamer A. P. Hurt is as follows: Leave Fayetteville every Monday and Thursday mornings.

Leave Wilmington every Tuesday and Friday afternoons. Good passenger accommodations. Lowest freight rates to all points on Cape Fear river.

Further particulars apply to

JNO. S. McEACHERN,
'Phone 496. Agent.
nov 13 tf

Removal.

We have moved to our new office on our shipping depot, "Waterland," between the A. C. L. and S. A. L. depots, and cordially invite our friends and patrons to call and see our extensive stock and unrivalled facilities for handling business. Respectfully,

HALL & PEARSALL,
INCORPORATED
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The Siwasa!

Atmore's Mince Meat,

Plum Pudding, Oyster Bay Asparagus, Cross & Blackwell's Jams, Edam, Pineapple and Cream Cheese, Rodier Fils Olive Oil, Celery, Stuffed Olives.

Baskets of all kinds.

S. W. SANDERS.
nov 6 tf

OYSTERS.
AT THE
DELMONICO,
Opposit Post-office.
QUAIL. QUAIL.
OYSTERS.

THE C. W. POLVOGT CO.,

"The Store That's Always Busy."

Semi-Annual Bargain Sale.

In November of each year we have one of our Bargain Week sales. This year we propose to make such reductions throughout our entire establishment to attract the attention of the most careful shoppers. Many advertisements are written with the sole object of enticing money from the credulous and over confident readers. We do not advertise in this way. Our public announcements are a plain statement of facts connected with our business.

Here are some Bargain Week attractions—every article advertised will be sold for cash only.

SILKS! SILKS!

For suits and waists. 500 yards of colored fancy silks, 19 and 27 inches wide, bargain at $1.00 per yard, special for this week sale 69c. per yard.

36-inch black spot proof warranted taffetta silk, sold regularly for $1.50 per yard. Bargain week price $1.20 per yard.

36-inch warranted taffetta silk, in black only, regular selling price $1.25, bargain week price 95c. per yard.

$1.25 fancy silk velvet, suitable for waists, bargain week 90c.

Fancy velveteen for waists, our 75c. sellers, bargain week price only 50c.

85c. extra quality taffetta silk, in all shades, bargain week prices 65c.

75c white, plain and fancy mousselines, silk crepes and coleums, bargain week price 55c. per yard.

$1.75 white and black Chiffon cloth, 45 inches wide, bargain price $1.50.

48-inch black and navy veille, our regular 85c. goods, bargain week price only 69c. per yard.

HOSIERY DEPARTMENT.

Ladies and children. All our hosiery warranted to be fast black.

100 dozen children's fine ribbed hose, they are our regular 25c. sellers. Bargain week price 21c. a pair or 5 pair for $1.00.

50 dozen ladies' plain and lace hose, 15c. our regular selling price. Bargain week price only 12c. per pair.

50c. lace Lisle hose for ladies, in black only, bargain week price 39c.

50 dozen children's fine ribbed hose, 15c. value, bargain week price 12c.

25c. gents' fancy hose, in odds and ends, special to close only 19c. per pair.

Ladies' extra quality ribbed vests and pants worth 75c., special, only 50c each.

Ladies' knit underskirts from 50c to $3 each, a cut of ten per cent. on any skirt in the department.

PORTIERS.

A cosy home must be comfortably furnished; a pair of portiers go far towards furnishing a cosy home.

Odd lot of several pair that will be sold for half prices.

We have the largest assortment of $5 portiers in the State.

On all portiers over $5 we will allow 15 per cent. discount.

BLANKETS AND COMFORTERS.

We have them, the part-wool and the all-wool kind.

$4 wool Carlton blankets $3.50.
$5 all wool Carlton blanket $4.50.
$6 all wool Carlton blanket $5.40.
$1.50 Silkaline covered comforters now $1.25.
$6 Down comforters now $5.40.
Fancy pillows for divans 20c.

THE WAGENER CURTAIN STRETCHER.

They do not sag in the middle; price only $3 each.

NOTIONS

FANCY and SMALL WARES—10c. Fancy ribbons in short lengths all displayed 5c. per yard.

35c to 50c. Plain taffetta ribbon 6 inches wide, displayed at 25c. per yard.

Ladies 15c. linen collars in odd sizes to close them out 5c each.

The Sweetheart Soap 5c. per cake.

Three cakes sweet soap 25c. a box; bargain week price 19c.

$1.25 Gents and Ladies, Umbrellas good cloth, stylish handles, only $1.

15c. Turkish Bath towels 50 dozen to dispose of bargain week, price 9c.

5c. buys a fine quality Pearl button, in three sizes.

Three balls of Darning cotton for 5c.

50c. will buy a doll worth 65c. and 75c. Our Christmas stock now ready for your inspection.

WASH GOODS, WHITE GOODS INCLUDED.

12½c. India Linen—Bargain price 9c. per yard.

15c. India Linen—Bargain Price 12c. per yard.

20c. India Linen, Bargain Price 17c. per yard.

15c. White Persian Lawn, bargain price 12c.

12½ and 15c. Figured Chambry, 36 inches wide, a big bargain this week, 10c. per yard.

36 inches Skirting looks like Wool a special bargain 10c. a yard.

12½c. Dark Percales 36 inches wide best quality, bargain week price 10c. per yard.

12½c. Figured Duck suitable for waists, bargain week prices 9c. per yard.

CLOAKS & FURS

Reduced for bargain week. Some handsome wraps came to us last week, they will be included in the Bargain week selling.

Extra fine quality Black, Castor, or Tan long coast, Butcher backs, bought to sell for $12 50 and $15, bargain price $10.

Our stock of Furs is so large that we will not mention prices, but will allow a discount of 10 per cent. from any fur in the department.

DRESS GOODS—THE ALL WOOL KIND.

Black and Gray Mixed, sold regularly for $1.25 per yard; bargain week price only 89c.

$1.25 Black Mohair, 44-inch wide, extra quality; bargain week price $1.00 per yard.

85c Zibaline, 52-inch wide; bargain week price 69c per yard.

54-inch Pebble Cheviot, $1.00 regular selling price; bargain week price 80c.

65c Novelty Veille, 38 inch wide, in black and navy blue; bargain week price 50c.

$1.00 Etemine, 42-inch wide; bargain week price 85c per yard.

$1.00 quality Veille, in black and colors; bargain week price 85c.

$1.50 Black Broadcloth, 52-inch wide; bargain week price only $1.20.

$1.25 Black Granite, 44-inch wide; bargain week price only $1.00.

52-inch Colored Suitings, sold regularly at 85c and $1.00 a yard; bargain week price only 75c.

75c Plaid French Flannel, 30 inch wide; bargain price 40c per yard.

54-inch Broadcloth, in three shades, worth 85c per yard; bargain week price only 70c per yard.

Novelty Boucle suiting, worth $1.75, 54 inches wide, suitable for children's wraps, bargain price $1.35.

54-inch green Venetian in two shades, sold for $1 per yard, bargain week price only 85c.

LACE CURTAINS.

Bargain week prices:

We know that these prices will bring a great crowd. Large stock to select from—all new goods.

| Number— | | | |
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| 1111 | Lace Curtains, our | $1.75 | for $1.40 |
| 9905 | " " " | 1.75 | " 1.40 |
| 7965 | " " " | 2.00 | " 1.65 |
| 9459 | " " " | 2.75 | " 2.25 |
| 9730 | " " " | 3.00 | " 1.65 |
| 9402 | " " " | 1.50 | " 1.25 |
| 9920 | " " " | 3.00 | " 2.40 |
| 8053 | " " " | 3.75 | " 3.00 |
| 7934 | " " " | 3.50 | " 2.90 |
| 9367 | " " " | 3.50 | " 2.90 |
| 9961 | " " " | 3.25 | " 2.75 |
| 9477 | " " " | 3.00 | " 2.40 |
| $3.00 | Net Ruffled Curtains | now | 2.40 |
| $3.50 | Net Ruffled Curtains | now | 3.00 |

CARPETS.

Bargain week prices:

Our Axminster Carpets are beautiful, more so than ever before. Our regular $1.65 extra fine quality, bargain week price $1.35 per yard; this includes the making, laying and lining.

Our Sultan Velvets carpet in parlor, room, hall and stair, sold at $1.25; bargain week price only $1.10 per yard, laid on your floor.

Extra quality Brussels carpet in room, hall, stair and parlor, regular price $1.00 per yard; bargain week price 85c per yard, sewed and laid.

Good quality Brussels carpet in room, hall and stair pattern—it is our regular 80c seller; bargain week price only 60c, sewed and laid.

80c and 75c quality all wool ingrain carpets, 36-in. wide, suitable for rooms and halls; bargain price 67c, made laid and lined.

MATTINGS—Chinese and Japanese

Just received one hundred rolls from an import order; 15c quality, red and green colors, special bargain week price 10c.

Extra quality China Matting, heavy weight, fancy weaves and large assortment, at 25c per yard.

Extra quality China Matting, heavy weight, short straws, only 20c.

Hooges' Fibre Carpet, 36-in. wide, sold for 70c per yard—twenty pieces to select from; bargain price 58c, laid, sewed and lined.

DOMESTIC DEPARTMENT.

White Spreads—15c quality Lonsdale Cambric, 10c; 12½c quality Cannon Cloth, 10c; 15c quality Indian Head, 11c; good quality yard wide shirting, 6c per yard.

Ten yards Fruit of the Loom for 75c.

No. 300—Long Cloth worth $1 50 for $1.25.

No. 400—Long Cloth worth $1 75 for $1 45.

No. 500—Long Cloth worth $3.00 for $1.65.

36-inch English Nainsook, 12 yards pieces, for $1.25 a piece.

18-inch Plain Pillow Cases, best grade, 45x36 inch. Bargain week price 15 cents.

Same goods in Hemstitched only 20 cents.

81x90 Plain Nawhawk Sheets, sold regularly at 80 cents. Bargain week price 65 cents.

90x90 Plain Nawhawk sheets, sold regularly at 85 cents. Bargain week price 75 cents.

90x90 Hemstitched Nawhawk Sheets sold at $1.00. Bargain price 75 cents.

Extra large and heavy white spreads worth $1.50. Bargain week price $1.25.

A reduction of ten per cent. on any white spread in our store; prices range from 75 cents to $4 00 each.

MILLINERY DEPARTMENT ALWAYS CONSPICUOUS

for the refreshing originality of its productions as well as the superb value it constantly has in for its patrons. We offer special inducements during our bargain week sale.

Remember the items advertised above will be sold for CASH only. Sale begins Monday morning and continues during the entire week.

The C. W. Polvogt Co.
nov 13 tf

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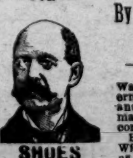

SHOES.

By Acclamation, On October 7th
—W. L. DOUGLAS—

Was nominated for Governor of Massachusetts, and to lead the political masses of that great commonwealth.

By a large majority in Wilmington and vicinity as well as all over this great Union of States his famous

"Douglas Shoe,"

Is nominated "THE BEST ON EARTH FOR THE MONEY," and easily leads all competitors. As his agents here we are doing our best to meet every dem